

THE WEATHER

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WATER BOARD ACTS LOCAL COTTON MILLS THE EARL OF CREWE

Appeals to City Council for Right to Seize Land

At a meeting of the water board last night it was voted to recommend to the city council that about ten acres of land on the boulevard opposite the boulevard lower pumping station be condemned and seized by right of eminent domain for the purpose of increasing the water supply for the city.

The meeting was a special one called for the purpose of approving bills. It was Mr. Robert J. Crowley's last meeting as his term will expire before the next regular meeting.

Mr. Crowley thanked his colleagues on the board for their fair and impartial treatment and said he had enjoyed the eight years that he had served on the board. He had tried to do his best for the city and to be fair with

The Suction Shuttle Must be Abandoned as a Menace to Health



WILLIAM S. SOUTHWORTH
Agent of Massachusetts Mills.



E. W. THOMAS
Agent of Boot Mills.



JOHN J. CONNELL
Agent of Tremont and Suffolk Mills.

The Massachusetts, Boot and Tremont and Suffolk and What They are Doing—Agent Connell Gives Some Startling Figures on Mill Expenses—Merrimack Mfg. Company Causes Excitement in Stock Market

In the legislature a few days ago a bill prohibiting the use of the suction shuttle was presented and there was no opposition to it. The bill was presented by Representative Edward F. Harrington, who has been a cotton cloth weaver, and it might appear upon the face of it that the abolition of the suction shuttle, that has been in use for a century or more, was something that the representatives of labor alone are interested in, but such is not the case.

The suction shuttle has got to go, and the chances are that Mr. Harrington's bill will not meet with any opposition in its legislative flight. A majority of the mill men are in favor of doing away with the suction shuttle. They agree that the pressing of divers tips to shuttles for the purpose of sucking the thread through the little eye is anything but conducive to good health.

Agent John J. Connell of the Tremont and Suffolk mills, Agent William S. Southworth of the Massachusetts mills, and Agent Edward W. Thomas of the Boot mills, were seen by a representative for The Sun yesterday, and they expressed themselves as in favor of the abolition of the suction shuttle. A big percentage of the new looms that are being installed in the local mills are Draper looms and in these looms the shuttles are threaded automatically, and as a substitute for the suction shuttle there are others with slits instead of eyes so that the thread can be drawn through the slit instead of sucked through the eye.

It is not very long ago that Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills, John Golden, the well known labor leader, at the state house and suggested the introduction of a bill in the legislature prohibiting the use of the suction shuttle.

While the mill men agree that this particular form of shuttle should be relegated to the rear they would not consider it fair if an immediate discontinuance was demanded. The abolition of the shuttle will entail a big expense as more than 50 per cent. of the shuttles in the various mills are suction shuttles.

It is generally conceded that the suction shuttle is liable to affect the lungs, especially if the weaver is employed on coarse work. The lint from the warp is inhaled by the weaver as he or she sucks it through the eye of the shuttle, yet it is a well known fact that many men and women who used the suction shuttle for 50 years or more died of old age and were rarely embarrassed by doctors' bills.

Despite the fact that the mill men would favor the abolition of the suction shuttle they are a unit in declaring that the shuttle with the slit instead of the eye is a much more expensive shuttle because of breakage. The thread does not run as smoothly through the slit as through the eye and is more liable to break, but as Agent Thomas said, the extra expense as lint is not to be considered. The suction shuttle is anything but sanitary and while some mills have gone back to that shuttle because of frequent breaking by the other shuttle, the mills

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British Government Leader Was Stricken With Sudden Illness

LONDON, March 4.—The Earl of Crewe, government leader in the house of lords and secretary of state for India, was removed in an ambulance this morning from a hotel to the home in Berkeley square of the countess' father, the Earl of Rosebery, following a sudden and serious illness.

The Earl was one of a dinner party at the hotel last night when he was seized with a gastric fainting fit, followed by convulsion of the brain. The extent of the breakdown may be gathered from the announcement that it will be at least two months before he will be able to resume his leadership in the upper chamber or the duties of his office. It was necessary for the patient to remain at the hotel during the night. The countess and their infant son were taken to her father's home when they were driven out of the Crewe house in Mayfair by fire on February 10.

The illness of the leader is unfortunate for the government, in view of the important business coming up in the house of lords, which includes Lord Lansdowne's reform bill and the government's veto bill. The Earl's duties in the upper house and in the Indian office will be assumed temporarily by Viscount Morley, lord president of the council and former secretary of state for India.

BAILEY RESIGNS Gives Up His Seat in Senate

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Senator Bailey of Texas has resigned from the senate. He has made no explanation as to his reasons therefor. He first presented the resignation to Vice President Sherman, who refused to accept it.

Mr. Bailey then wired his resignation to Gov. Campbell of Texas. Mr. Bailey's term would not have expired until March 3, 1913.

BOARD OF TRADE Is Arranging for Its Annual Banquet

The directors of the board of trade will hold a meeting in their rooms Tuesday evening. The meeting is scheduled for 7.15 o'clock and promises to be an interesting one as considerable matter of importance will be discussed. Final arrangements for the annual banquet of the board of trade will be made and so far the event promises to be a real success. It will be held in Associate hall on March 18 and several notable speakers will be heard.

NOTICE, Div. 11, A.O.H.

There will be a special meeting of Div. 11, Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m., at Liberator hall, to make arrangements for attending the funeral of our deceased brother, Michael Leonard, 40 Crosby street. Per order, M. J. MARKHAM, President, WM. NELSON, Fin. Secretary.

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FRANKLIN, N. H., March 4.—An alarm from box 25, corner of Central and Franklin streets, was rung in last night for a fire in the Ripley block, a three story wooden building on Central street. The fire started in the basement under Ralph Rafferty's store, where fruit was being ripened.

Mrs. Jeannette Buchanan, aged 80, and her invalid son, E. L. Buchanan, once a champion prize fighter, were assisted from their tenement above. The smoke filled the building, but the blaze was soon extinguished.

The other store is to be occupied by the People's cash market company, which will take possession next week. There was stock of goods in the main damage will be from smoke and water. Mr. Rafferty suffers the most. His stock of fruit, candy and tobacco being badly smoked. An estimate places the damage at \$1000.

The ground floor is occupied as an armory by the NeSmith rifles. The block is owned by Mrs. Mary J. Ripley.

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BARON PATERNO VISITED NEWTON NEW YORK CITY TO HAVE NEW CHARTER

AIMING TO WIPE OUT GRAFT

Always Brutally Treated the Princess

ROME, March 4.—All Rome still is talking of the sensational murder on Thursday of the Princess Gullia Trigo di Santella, the queen's lady-in-waiting by Lieutenant Baron Paterno. Not in many years has the capital been so stirred by a sordid crime.

Paterno late last night was still slowly improving. The bullet which he fired with the intention of killing himself is still imbedded in his skull. Although he is conscious and able to talk, he has refused to give any explanation as to why he stabbed and killed the woman who had berried him.

The police, however, are not averse to showing what their investigations are unfolding. They say they show that Paterno had the woman brutally before he finally encompassed her taking off. The princess, frail and unhappy with her husband, they allege, fell easy prey to the rapacious nobleman whose scandalous adventures had brought him to the threshold of expulsion from the throne.

According to the police Paterno met the princess in 1903 at Palermo. He became the friend also of the prince. The friendship between the two men became so great that Paterno had himself made head of the local mafia and brought it into the election of Prince Trigo as mayor of Palermo.

It is reported also that the prince returning home one night from a meeting of the municipal council, found his wife and Paterno together. Enraged, the prince fired upon Paterno but missed his mark and Paterno escaped.

When Queen Helena was informed of the relations existing between Paterno and the princess, she called the princess before her and induced her to confess everything. Throwing herself at the feet of the queen and crying out in her desperation, the princess took oath that she would break with Paterno, begin like anew and henceforth devote her life to being an affectionate mother to her two little daughters.

From this moment, according to the authorities, Paterno, seeing his prey about to escape, became furious in his efforts toward the princess and several times created scenes even within the Quirinal itself, shouting: "I shall murder you; I shall strangle you—here in the royal palace, amid the ladies of the court, next to the queen."

Paterno's demands for money, it is said, became more and more imperative and once, when he was refused, he attacked the princess in the ante-chamber to the room in which were the king and queen. The princess in defending herself on this occasion had her bracelet broken, and this Paterno picked up and put in his pocket. Then he left her still threatening.

The patrimony of the princess, because of her loans or gifts to Paterno, is said to have been reduced to \$160 a month.

When the tragedy occurred the two daughters of the murdered woman were playing in a court courtyard. When they returned to the Quirinal they asked, as was their custom, for their mother. No one had the heart to tell them the truth, so they were informed that the princess had met with an automobile accident and that she would return to the palace tomorrow.

Two locks of her hair were cut yesterday from the head of the dead woman and later will be given to her children.

A postmortem examination yesterday showed that the princess was first wounded in the back and then in the neck. Either the wounds would have been mortal. On the left arm also were found two slight wounds.

CARD OF THANKS
The undersigned wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for the acts of kindness, words of sympathy and the many floral offerings, which in a way lightened the burden of grief cast upon them at the death of their devoted wife and their beloved mother, Mrs. Bridget Nutter.

(Signed)
Mr. Michael Nutter and Family.

Contagious Hospital There Was Inspected

The members of the contagious hospital committee visited the Newton General hospital and contagious annex, the Haines Memorial Homeopathic contagious hospital, and the Corey Hill hospital, in Brookline, yesterday afternoon.

The Newton General hospital was the first visited by the committee and later the committee was shown through the contagious annex.

The Haines Memorial Homeopathic contagious hospital in Brookline was next visited. This is absolutely modern in every respect, built of steel girders and of reinforced concrete. The floors are of mosaic, and the building is absolutely fire and germ proof in every particular. There are 150 beds in the hospital. Many cases of scarlet fever, were found in this hospital, about 70 altogether, with but 15 cases of diphtheria. At the Newton contagious hospital there were 15 cases of scarlet fever and none of diphtheria.

At Newton the city erected the three buildings of the contagious annex, the administration building and a building each for diphtheria and scarlet fever. A tuberculosis ward was established at one time, but this was discontinued.

The arrangement of sun rooms at the Corey Hill hospital in Brookline was greatly admired. However, the Haines Memorial hospital pleased the members of the commission the most, and from it they received many points which will later be incorporated in the local contagious hospital.

PRESIDENT TAFT

Saw a New Moon in the Heavens

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Having abandoned hope of seeing reciprocity passed by the present congress, President Taft late yesterday after returning from his usual long afternoon walk, declared that he had noticed the setting sun, but that he also had seen a new moon in the heavens. The president has not yet decided when he will issue his proclamation calling the new congress together, nor has the date been fixed.

Despite the fact that the measure which above all others he desired to see pass at this session, did not become law, the president was rejoicing last night over the large number of bills he favored which have been passed.

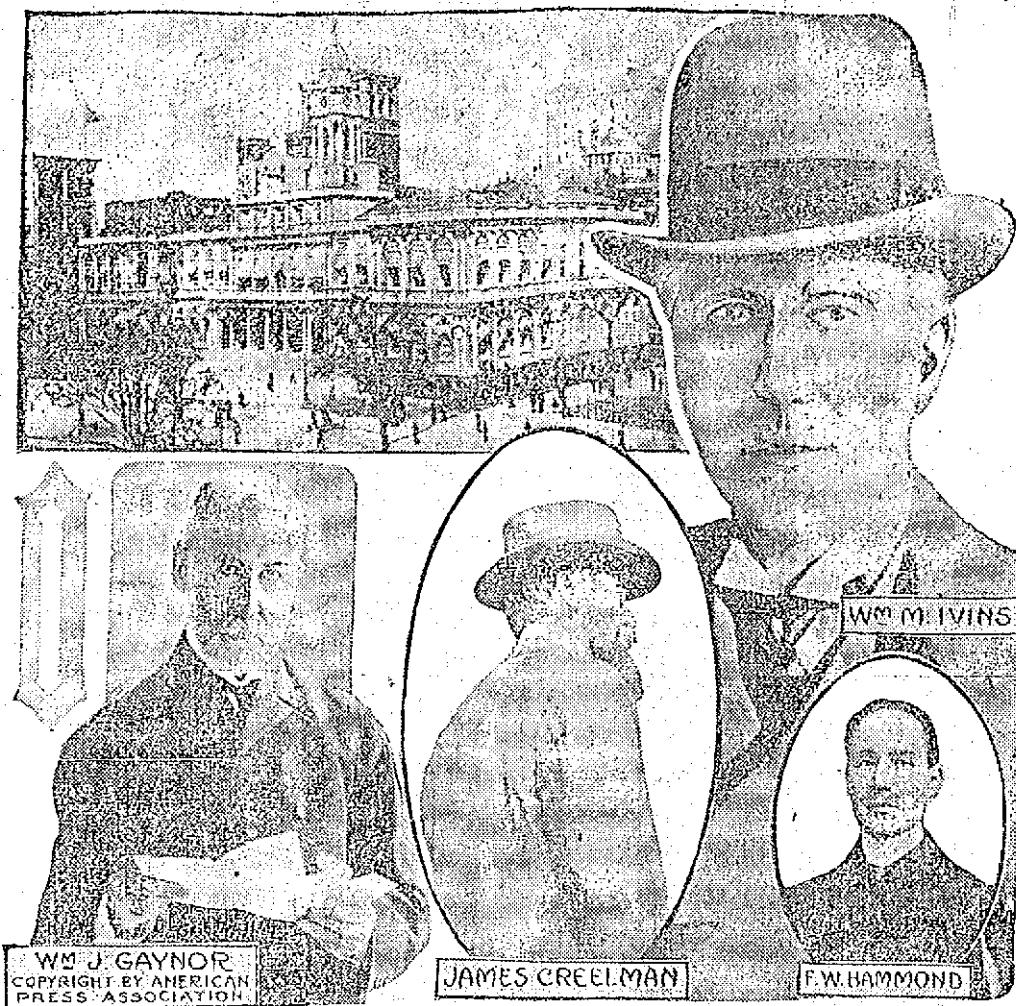
The judiciary codification bill he considers one of the most important additions to the legal procedure of the country passed in the last half century. The provision for the fortification of the Panama canal was particularly pleasing to him.

Much has been accomplished by the present session, he feels, which will be of lasting benefit to the country. He had no unkind words for the dying congress because it could not see its way clear to pass the reciprocity measure.

He is waiting for the "new moon" of the coming congress to fulfill his desires in that direction.

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NEW YORK, Mar. 4.—A determined movement by some of the leading citizens and members of the state legislature to provide a new charter for New York City will, if the intentions of these men are fulfilled, reconstruct and radically reform the city government. The need for reform, the participants in this movement assert, is evidenced by the fact that the entire real indebtedness of the city is about \$1,000,000,000; also that graft in some of the municipal departments is huge. One of the objects of the charter remakers is to amend the building laws more radically regarding tenements and to provide a means for wiping out as many of the disease breeding rookeries of the east side as possible. The state charter commission appointed by the legislature in 1909, with Assemblyman Frederick W. Hammond of Syracuse as chairman, has framed a franchise for the city which does not meet the approval of heads of the city government. Mayor William J. Gaynor, who states that he would like to draw the city charter himself, has taken up the subject with members of the board of estimate and apportionment and with William M. Ivins, former candidate for

mayor, who was chairman of the previous charter committee. The Ivins charter, drawn by that committee and which was discarded by the legislative committee, abolished the board of aldermen and reduced the number of members of the board of education. Assemblyman James A. Foley, chairman of the cities committee of the assembly, is now working on chapters to be proposed for the new charter, and his experience as legislator will be of material aid to those who desire to put the government of the city on a purely business basis. The need of reform in the board of education is shown by the resignation of James Creelman, the famous writer and war correspondent, who says, "I invite attention to the loose way in which the board of education votes on matters involving millions and to the fact that, although it spends \$36,000,000 of the people's money in a year, its affairs, books and matters of accountability never have been thoroughly investigated because the board has separate corporate powers and assumes to be independent of the regular budget making and fiscal authorities of the city." Mayor Gaynor, following Mr. Creelman's criticism, has drawn a provision making the board of

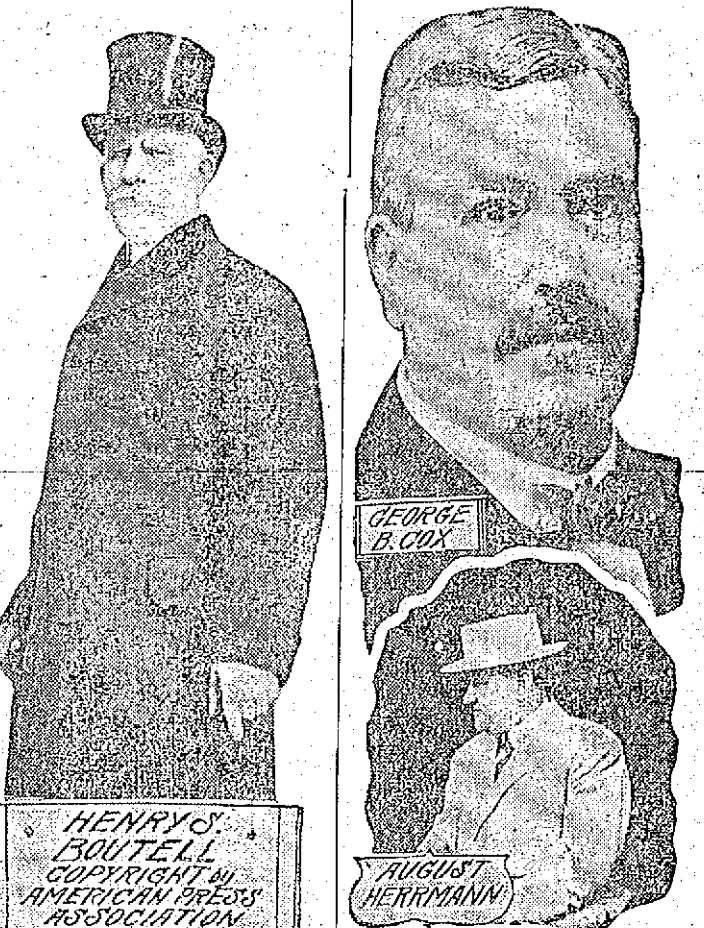
education directly under the control of the mayor, and he has asked Mr. Creelman to work with him on the charter. The entire city government will be centralized, according to the Gaynor plan, taking much authority away from various offices, such as borough presidents, etc., and placing it with the mayor. The Gaynor idea is that the mayor should in effect be "king of the city." Another object of the charter framers is to take the police department of over 7000 men out of politics, if possible. The tenement house reform provisions will be based on the report of the New York city commission on congestion of population, which has just been made public. The causes of overcrowded tenements are stated by the commission to be the following: Lack of a definite city plan; the present system of taxation under which until recently the owner of the land improved with buildings has been penalized, while the man who holds lands out of use so that he may secure the speculative increases of land value has been helped by the tax collector to distribute and control immigrants, for housing purposes; methods of public and private charities.

HENRY S. BOUTELL INDICTMENTS

The New Minister to May Break Up Republican Machine

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Henry S. Boutell of Illinois, nominated by President Taft to be minister to Portugal, vice Henry T. Gage, resigned, has long been a member of congress. He was defeated for renomination last year. The appointment of a minister to Portugal at this time does not mean

CINCINNATI, March 4.—The investigation of the grand jury into the alleged misdoings of some of the political celebrities of Hamilton county threatens to break up the republican organization headed by George B. Cox and which has had a dominating influence in the government of Cincinnati



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that the United States will immediately recognize Portugal as a republic, according to the state department. It is held by the department that there is only a de facto government in Portugal and that the appointing of a new minister does not automatically recognize the country as a power. It was pointed out that Mr. Boutell probably would not go to Portugal until after May and that during that month the constituency of Portugal will decide for themselves whether the present regime and form of government are to be continued. None of the European countries has recognized Portugal as a republic, according to the state department.

for years, George B. Cox, so long the all powerful republican boss of Cincinnati, is making titanic efforts to rid himself of the perjurious indictments against him. His friends swear that Cox, president of the Cincinnati Trust company, backer of the Shubert's in large theatrical enterprises, will spend his last cent to free himself of the accusation that he shared the graft his fellow bankers paid to the county's treasurers to name their banks as repositories of the county's money and worse; that he committed perjury when he swore such tainted money never passed into his hands. It is certain now that the investigation will go far beyond the searchings of the Drake committee of 1906, will even examine the open charges that from the saloons and houses of red light district golden rivulets of graft money have flowed. Following up its indictment of Cox, the grand jury had before it August Herrmann, chairman of the National baseball commission and grand exalted ruler of the Elks, and Rudolph K. Hynd, a former county treasurer and head of an extensive theatrical syndicate. Both have been closely associated politically with Cox. Bayard Kilgour, vice-president of the local Bell Telephone company, has been quizzed. The fact that an officer of the Western Union Telegraph company and John A. Payne, formerly head of a concern that distributed racing and "marked" information, were summoned at the same time as Kilgour indicated that the grand jury was turning its attention to alleged gambling.

THE DEMOCRATS

TO CAUCUS IF EXTRA SESSION IS CALLED

WASHINGTON, March 4.—At an informal conference of democratic representatives yesterday, Representative Clayton of Alabama, chairman of the caucus, was authorized to call a caucus of democratic representatives of the congress immediately upon a call for an extra session, if the president should issue such a call. The caucus will perfect the house organization, including the election of Representatives. Clark of Missouri is speaker. The committee selections will not be made at that time. The caucus will be held the day preceding the convening of an extra session, if such be called for March 15 or thereabouts. If congress should not be called to convene for a month yet, the caucus would be held at 10 a. m., two days before the extra session, or three days before if necessary, to avoid meeting on Sunday.

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READING ROOM

For Children Has Many Real Advantages

The children's department of the City Library is proving to be quite a success and is a great aid to the children. It is situated in a large room in the basement of the Memorial Hall. This department contains over 2000 books suitable for the different ages. Popular among the books for the little tots are Caldecott's, noted for their simple rhymes and striking pictures. Also of great importance to the child are the Palmer G. Brownie books, and not least of all are the "Puzzle" books. One feature of special interest is the new French picture and some books, the illustrations by B. DeMonvel, a noted illustrator being most attractive and beautiful. "Chantez Petits" and "Ses Sœurs" are the ones largely called for. The opportunity is afforded the child of selecting the book desired from the shelves themselves, and the child is found largely selects books advised by the teacher. This department owing to the large scope in reading matter, which it otherwise would not be able to secure, is of great advantage. Especially attractive to the eye of the child are the covers of the picture books, the coloring being striking and brilliant. While new, the books are left uncovered, but when they begin to lose their freshness a cover is put on to preserve them. From picture books the children progress to simple readers and primers with color illustrations and all sorts of devices to make them interesting. Later on they call for stories from the Arabian Nights, Fairy Tales, classics, all arranged in a simplified manner to suit their respective ages. With the girls Beatrix Potter is a favorite author, Louisa M. Alcott still remains popular and Miss Annie Fellows Johnston is much called for. The boys call for school and college stories, histories and books by Charles Charlton Coffin; also books from the following series "Fifty Famous Stories," stories of Great Americans for Little Americans, by Edward Eggleston and Horace C. Sander's Folk stories. The Little Cousin series is also very popular. Owing to two kinds of books, one of fiction and one non-fiction being allowed to be taken out at a time on one card, a wider range in reading has been gained, for histories are now often found together with a book of fiction. Last Saturday, 355 children, attended during the day and 179 books were given out. The largest number since the beginning of this department to at-

tempt at one time was one day last December when 100 were counted and the room at that time was crowded. Presently 70 can be counted at the tables which are then pretty well crowded. The ages of the children attending range from 13 to 15 years, yet many who are older, but have grown up here and are now going to high school or working. After coming in knowing that they will be able to obtain what they wish as they know practically what books are there. The children are very quiet and orderly and it is interesting to note that as the books, which are returned begin to pile in confusion at the end of the table some little helper will quietly come forward and lay them in neat piles. They also pick up from the floor any scattered paper or place in position anything out of its place. Miss Bertha G. Kysle has charge of the department and is much thought of by the children who attend. She is always ready to assist them. She is assisted at times by other members of the staff when she requires help. There is no doubt that the children's department is a great help to children. The interested faces of the children and the eager way in which they handle the books, ranged around the room, speak the enjoyment this department affords.

of time, to the fullest opportunity to convince the dissenting members of the party and the legislature that his candidacy was for the best interests of the party as a whole. "But events have since demonstrated the impossibility of his election and therefore I do not believe that his candidacy should be further continued. Owing to the present situation we are not redeeming in full the pledges made to the people. The progressive and constructive legislation which we promised is not being advanced with sufficient force and energy. "We are confronted with a special session of congress to consider momentous issues. In such a session, if the present condition remains unchanged, the democratic party of the state of New York will be without a voice in the national councils of the senate of the United States on subjects involving the most important and solemn pledges of our party platform. "I therefore deem it my duty to advise that you immediately proceed in the joint session of the legislature to call as your conscience and the will of your constituents may dictate, for the election of a United States senator whose choice will unite the democratic party. (Signed) "John A. Dix."

GOVERNOR DIX GIRL SHOT MAN

Issues Statement on She Claimed That He Betrayed Her

NEW YORK, March 4.—A statement from Governor John A. Dix, addressed to the democratic members of the legislature, rehearsing what has happened in the senatorial fight, and advising them now to ballot "as your consciences and the will of your constituents may dictate" was given out here last night. The statement was as follows: "To the democratic members of the legislature: "Soon after the last election I publicly announced that I would interfere with the legislature in the choice of a senator. But the present unprecedented and divided condition of the party's councils in regard to the choice of a senator, is preventing the exercise of the constitutional duty which rests upon the legislature. "Under these exceptional and peculiar circumstances I may properly advise you what in my opinion the present critical situation demands, the elimination of extra-constitutional obstacles to the important duty resting on the legislature. "When Mr. Sheehan became the choice of the caucus I felt that he was entitled, within reasonable limits

an hour after she had shot and probably fatally wounded her alleged betrayer, Maria Adagutalo, 22 years old, was found by the police calmly eating a hearty supper at her home last night. She made no attempt, the police say, to deny that she shot Giuseppe Orsini, who, she alleged, had betrayed her and married another. "Yes, I shot him," she asserted over and over again, according to the police. "I am glad of it, too, and I hope he dies." The man was shot four times on a street corner in the east side, where the girl had made an appointment to meet him. When brought to Orsini's cot in a hospital, the girl was surprised to find that the man denied that she shot him. "No," Orsini replied, "she didn't shoot me." "If I didn't," broke in the girl, "who did?" "Don't get yourself in wrong," Orsini cautioned her, and fell back in semi-consciousness from the pain of his wounds. He has no chance of recovery.

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NEW YORK, March 4.—Valentine (Knock-Out) Brown, the tow-headed Little New York lightweight, gained a popular decision over "Ad" Wolcast, the world's lightweight champion in a slashing 10-round bout last night at the National Sporting club of America. Three weeks ago Brown fought Wolcast at Philadelphia, and the crowd of 3000 which saw him fight last night voted him a victory. The law does not allow a formal decision.

Brown forced the fighting from the start and on the whole gave more punishment than he received. In the clinches Wolcast showed superior ringmanship with his in-fighting. His tactics were so rough, however, that they brought hisses from the spectators.

Neither man was in distress at any time during the bout and no blood was drawn. In the first round Brown was backing toward the ropes as Wolcast rushed him. They clinched and rolled through the ropes together and Wolcast would have fallen from the ring had not a cluster of hands shoved him back.

The usual crowd of sporting celebrities witnessed the bout and every available inch of the clubhouse was packed.

First round—Both boys opened up fast. With Brown the more eager of the two. They clinched often and Wolcast pounded Brown's kidneys. Wolcast had to force the fighting and sent several hard ones to the face.

Round two—Brown jarred Wolcast with a right to the jaw. They clinched and Wolcast got in a nasty right uppercut. Brown rocked him after the break and followed up a strong right to the jaw with a rain of blows to the head. The crowd cheered madly. Although Wolcast rallied toward the end it was Brown's round.

Round three—They sparred carefully and clinched often. Wolcast working his uppercuts hard as they held on. Brown missed a hard swing to the face. They were in a clinch at the bell.

Round four—Brown rushed the fighting with a clean right to the jaw. He followed this with a left to the face, but missed a right swing that would have done damage. He was forcing the fighting, with Wolcast covering up in the body. However, the champion almost invariably worked in a jarring uppercut. Brown put a hard one over Wolcast's right eye and they went to a clinch as the going sounded.

Round five—Brown put a hard left to the wind. In a clinch Wolcast shook Brown with three quick jabs to the face and was hissed by the crowd when he repeatedly banged with his elbow. Brown rushed into a clinch and Wolcast again used the kidney blow effectively. The crowd cheered when Brown landed a right and left to the face in quick succession. He missed another wild swing and they

clinched again. Wolcast was roughing it amid hisses at the bell.

Round six—Brown put a nasty one to the wind. They clinched and Wolcast pounded the kidneys. They clinched again and roughed it from corner to corner. Wolcast missed to the head, but got in a nasty upper cut. He stumbled and fell to his knees as Brown rushed him into the ropes.

Brown put a hard one over the heart at the break and they clinched again. Wolcast roughing it at the break. Brown's mouth and they went to a clinch. Both boys were strong at the bell, with more than half the bout over.

Round seven—Wolcast sparred cautiously. Brown rushed and landed two nasty ones on the face. Wolcast rallied with a stinger on Brown's left ear. They went to a clinch and Wolcast put a half dozen to the face.

Round eight—Brown shut a hard left to the champion's mouth. They clinched and the champion landed a clean one on Brown's head as they broke. Wolcast missed a vicious swing for the jaw and Brown rushed into the ropes. They sparred cautiously in the center with an equal exchange of blows until they clinched, when Wolcast uppercut both right and left to Brown's face. Both were rather wild and Wolcast missed twice to the head.

Round nine—Brown rushed Wolcast to his corner, then rushed and fell to his knees. Wolcast took the aggressive and landed a hard one over the heart. He continued his damaging in-fighting in the clinches, pounding Brown's kidneys until the blows resounded through the arena. Brown put a hard left to the champion's head and Wolcast came back with a right over the heart and jarred Brown's head with a left. They were about to clinch at the bell.

Round ten—Brown started the tenth with a rush but both boys were careful and quickly came to a clinch. Wolcast missed a hard one over Brown's stomach but Brown missed a hard one to the head, both right and left. As they clinched he was hissed again for roughing. They scissored about the ring until Brown ripped a left to the face. Wolcast came back with a hard left below the heart and pushed Brown to the ropes. Brown stumbled and fell outside the ring, but was pushed back by spectators just as the final bell rang.

Had a Milk Dealer Up for Unclean Methods—Other Matters Acted Upon

All the members of the board of health were present at their regular meeting which was held at city hall at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Considerable business was transacted besides approving the regular monthly bills.

Action on the Walsh stable matter which received a threatening out at the last meeting, on complaint of Martin Finerty, came up. Mr. Osgood moved that the stalls and cellar be connected with the sewer, that no sweepings be kept in the cellar but in receptacles, and that the said receptacles be kept not less than 35 feet from the Finerty home, and be emptied at least once every other week. The motion was adopted.

Mary Cheney Allard petitioned for a license to establish a maternity hospital at 1030 Bridge street. It was voted to grant the permit.

Vasilios Vasalakos appeared before the board to answer the charge of maintaining a milk depot in an unclean and unhealthy condition. The report of the inspectors showed that the bottles were washed in dirty water, that the wooden trays were used, and that the boiler to wash bottles, which the chairman declared "to be fit for a junk heap," was lined with grease, and that Vasalakos used stoppers bearing the name of George J. Prairie.

The board advised the milk dealer that if the said boiler he found in his place of business today he would lose his license.

Mr. Osgood stated that when he visited the place, a man was carrying water from the shed in pails and emptying it into the gutter on the outside. Vasalakos denied that he got the water from the watering trough, but said that there was a leak in the pipe and the plumber who was doing the repairs was the man who carried the water from the sink.

Dr. Brunelle said that the roof of the place is in a bad condition. When it rains the water streams over the bottles.

Vasalakos promised to reform conditions at his place of business in Moody street, and he was given 24 hours to clean up the place or his license will be revoked.

Inspector Connors gave a report on the condition of the property numbered 8 and 10 in the rear of 259 Worthen street. He said the cellar is in a filthy condition. The closets on the first and second floors were in a bad condition. He had found old mattresses in the attic. He said he notified the owner on Jan. 12, and the latter had agreed to fix it up.

The board viewed the premises before the meeting and saw for themselves the condition of the place. They found the cellar filled with ice and refuse. The kitchen on the first floor was ornamented with icicles of different dimensions and refuse of all sorts. The water pipe in the sink had burst and the water flooded the room and the second floor had frozen up. The upper part of the house is being occupied by eight or ten men who seem to be quite at home despite the condition of the place. They claim they pay \$8 per month for rent.

On motion of Mr. Osgood it was voted to order the premises vacated.

CARD OF THANKS.
To our many kind friends and neighbors who take this means of expressing our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and words of condolence extended to us in the loss of our beloved daughter, Margaret, and also to those who sent floral offerings. To all we are deeply grateful and promise that their kindness will never be forgotten by us.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bagshaw.

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GETS A DIVORCE BOARD OF CHARITIES

Court Grants Lowell Man's Petition

George Gutknecht of Lowell, a former member of the German army, was granted a divorce from his wife, Julie, whom he accused of unfaithfulness, his own brother being the co-respondent, by Judge Quinn in the East Cambridge divorce court yesterday.

Mrs. Gutknecht admitted that Adolph, her husband's brother, had been in her room, but that he had simply come in for the purpose of taking the children out to walk.

Mrs. Cecilia Oxtell, a neighbor of the Gutknechts, said that Mrs. Gutknecht had come to her, saying that she was in trouble and had done wrong. Mrs. Oxtell advised her, she said, to confess to her husband and ask his forgiveness, but that instead of doing so Mrs. Gutknecht had gone to the home of her mother.

Attorney Tierney declared in his argument to Judge Quinn that it was nothing more than an attempt on the part of the members of Gutknecht's family to get rid of the daughter-in-law.

Judge Quinn said he believed that the divorce should be granted.

BOARD OF CHARITIES

Takes Up the Question of Adopting New Rules

The members of the board of charities met at city hall last night and for three hours discussed various matters pertaining to the charity department. New rules which it is expected will be adopted by the board were read and commented upon. It was decided to have copies of the rules printed and distributed among the members and Supt. Conley in order that they could better acquaint themselves with them before voting to adopt them.

The annual report of the department was presented by Supt. Conley, bills were approved and many minor matters considered.

The meeting was called to order shortly after eight o'clock with all members present. For an hour or more bills were examined and with a few exceptions all were approved. There was one bill which charged the department 11 cents per pound for prunes, while on several other bills the prices were seven and eight cents. The members of the board also held up a bill for bandanna handkerchiefs, believing that the price was a little too steep.

The bills which were held up will be brought to the attention of the purchasing agent.

A communication from Dr. J. H. Sparks relative to the ambulance service for the year 1910 was read. According to the report the ambulance responded to 1636 calls. On motion of Commissioner Howe it was voted to request Dr. Sparks to furnish a more detailed statement in order that the board could learn how many of the calls were for sick persons and how many for accidents.

The annual appropriation for the department was discussed at some length and it was the consensus of opinion that the department will be about \$10,000 short.

Supt. Conley submitted his annual report, which was in the form of a financial statement. Messrs. McCarty, Howe and Ricard will prepare the introduction to the report.

Dr. McCarty then produced a series of new rules and regulations which he offered for the approval of the board. The rules were drawn up as a means of meeting the opinion of the city solicitor that the superintendent had the power of appointment.

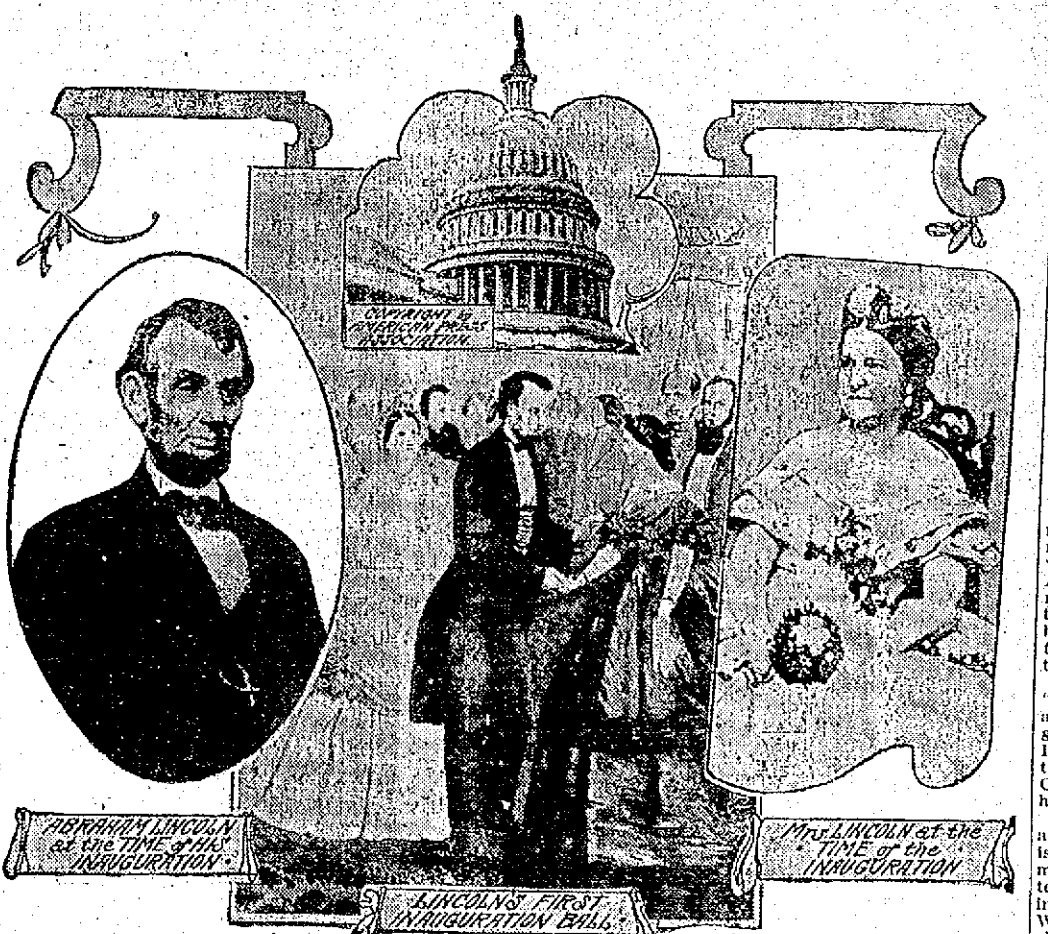
A rule was made that the superintendent shall have the power of appointment, but that he shall make such appointments after consultation with the board. The rules state that the board is responsible for the superintendent's conduct of the department, and that therefore his important official acts must be with the knowledge of the board. He has, however, sufficient power to act in emergencies, and to maintain discipline.

District physicians are to be required to keep in touch with the board's office, and if they are to leave town they are to send word to that effect.

The rules covered the entire work of the department and the board's final adoption of the members will each study them for possible changes, and Supt. Conley will be given his chance to agree or disagree with them.

The last matter taken up was the re-districting the city for the city physician's work. Commissioner Howe was appointed to submit a plan of re-districting at the next meeting.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN INAUGURATED AS PRESIDENT FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY



WASHINGTON, March 4.—Today marks the close of an even half century since the momentous March 4 when Abraham Lincoln was inaugurated president of the United States. The inaugural ceremonies took place, as usual, on the east portico of the capitol. Mr. Lincoln, Chief Justice Roger B. Taney, who administered the oath of office, Stephen A. Douglas, whom he had defeated; James Buchanan, the retiring president, and other eminent men occupied a raised platform built of plank, under which was stationed a company of soldiers. About noon, President Buchanan arrived at Willard's hotel in his carriage and called for the president elect, who was staying there. Mr. Lincoln entered the vehicle, sitting beside the retiring president on the drive along Pennsylvania avenue to the capitol. All along the route soldiers were stationed. Even on the roofs of houses troops with bristling musket barrels were seen. This precaution had been taken because of long continued rumors that an attempt would be made to assassinate Mr. Lincoln.

EXTRACTS FROM LINCOLN'S INAUGURAL SPEECH

Why should there not be a patient confidence in the ultimate justice of the people? Is there any better or equal hope in the world? In our present differences I either party without faith of being in the right? If the Almighty Ruler of nations, with His eternal truth and justice, be on your side of the north or on yours of the south that truth and that justice will surely prevail by the judgment of this great tribunal of the American people.

I hold that in contemplation of universal law and of the constitution the Union of these states is perpetual. Perpetuity is implied, if not expressed, in the fundamental law of all national governments. It is safe to assert that no government proper ever had a provision in its organic law for its own termination. Continue to execute all the express provisions of our national constitution and the Union will endure forever.

I am loath to close. We are not enemies, but friends. We must not be enemies. Though passion may have strained, it must not break our bonds of affection. The mystic chords of memory, stretching from every battlefield and patriot grave to every living heart and hearthstone all over this broad land, will yet swell the chorus of the Union when again touched, as surely they will be, by the better angels of our nature.

LOSS IS \$1000

Fire in a Factory in Billerica

The plant of the Greenwood Manufacturing Co., located just beyond Billerica Centre, was gutted by fire shortly before midnight last night. The cause of the fire is unknown and the blaze had gained considerable headway before it was discovered. The members of the Billerica fire department responded to an alarm, but it was impossible to save much of the property inasmuch as the place was a seething mass of flames when they arrived.

The Greenwood company manufactures fertilizer spreaders and is a new industry in the town. The Billerica plant was really an assembling factory, the parts of the spreader being made elsewhere. There have been only about half a dozen hands at work in the building of late. George P. Greenwood and his son, Oliver Greenwood, both of Billerica, conduct the business.

The loss will amount to \$1000. The Greenwood put their spreader on exhibition at the county fair last fall and as a result secured many orders.

The fire was discovered shortly after 11:30 o'clock by Mrs. Mary H. Hubbard. She alarmed the neighbors in the vicinity of her home. The department was summoned and made a quick run to the building.

IRISH FORESTERS

To Observe Emmet's Birthday Tomorrow

Branch O'Neill-Crowley of the Irish National Foresters, will observe the birthday of Robert Emmet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Ex-Mayor Leonard of Lawrence and Brother O'Neill of Branch Patrick-Sarsfield of Lawrence, are expected to be present and address the members on that occasion.

Chief Ranger Linehan and Secretary Nevins, have arranged for a full attendance of the members. The place of meeting is Leather Workers' hall on Central street. The guests will be entertained by the branch after the meeting.

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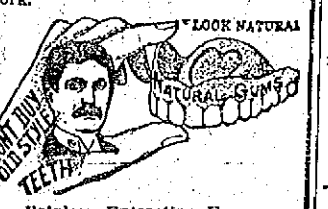
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THE SUNDRY BILL

Passed by the House Today

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The sundry civil bill was finally passed by the house at 7:30 o'clock this morning the house accepting the senate amendment providing \$200,000 for the tariff board for the next year. The original proposition was \$100,000 for the tariff board for the next two years.

Attacks School Principal.
A severe attack on school principal, Chas. B. Allen, of Sylvan, Cal., is thus told by him. "For more than three years," he wrote, "I suffered indigestion and stomach trouble and decided to try Electric Bitters. But four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely. Such results are common. Thousands bless them for curing stomach trouble, female complaints, kidney disorders, biliousness, and for new health and vigor. Try them. Only 50c at A. W. Dows & Co."

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THE FIRST VETO

Of Gov. Foss Overruled by House

BOSTON, March 4.—The first veto of Gov. Foss was overruled yesterday when the house of representatives, by a roll call vote of 155 to 51, passed over the governor's veto the bill relative to questions asked of applicants by the civil service commission. This bill provides that hereafter no applicant for a civil service position shall be required to state whether he has ever been arrested or convicted of any offense committed before he reached the age of 16 years.

BABE FOUND DEAD

Little One Passed Away Suddenly

Joseph Edouard Ovide Pouliot, infant son of Napoleon and Clarina Pouliot of 19 Western avenue, died suddenly yesterday at the home of his parents. The child, who was three months old, was apparently in good health this morning. Immediately after dinner the mother nursed the baby and laid him in his cot and took a short nap herself. When she awoke at one o'clock, she went to the child's crib and there, to her great surprise, found the little one dead.

The medical examiner was notified and he examined the body but has not as yet signed the death certificate.

THE HIGH SCHOOL

Committee to Consider Addition to It

At a meeting of the joint committee on education to be held Monday afternoon, March 6, at 3 o'clock, consideration will be given a communication from the Lowell school board calling attention to the necessity of increased accommodations at the high school. Notice of the meeting will be sent to the school board, Principal Irish of the high school, and Superintendent Whitcomb.

The number of pupils at the high school increases at the rate of about 50 a year and the school is pretty well crowded at the present time. The school board, in its communication to the city council, recommended the acquisition of land on the north side of the school and that an addition as big as the present school be built.

It is expected that some provision for industrial education will have to be made in the near future and the proposed addition would provide for that. It might also provide for domestic science, which is a hobby with Mr. Whitcomb, and a good thing. He allows that it is just as necessary that a girl should be educated in household duties as it is that she should be up in Greek Latin and mathematics. Mr. Whitcomb, too, is a great believer in industrial education, and Principal Irish will fight for it to the last breath.

THE FORESTERS

EXPECT TO HAVE A GREAT CLASS INITIATION

The class initiation committee of the Foresters of America is making final preparations for the large class initiation which is to be held in Foresters' hall on Sunday afternoon, March 26th. The degree work will be exemplified by the degree team of Court Middlesex, No. 23, of this city. They have introduced many features both in floor movements and the working of the different degrees.

The committee on invitations will hold a meeting this week and it is expected that many of the supreme and grand officers will be present including Grand Chief Ranger William J. Mountain of Gardner, Mass.

Judging from the reports of the different courts upon the number of candidates there is no doubt that the class will outnumber any that the Foresters have ever held in this city. The committee in charge of the affair is as follows: John McPhaden, Owen O'Neil, Thomas Berth, Thomas Mooney, John W. Sharkey, Charles Martin, John Condon, Patrick Kennedy, John J. Magee, John Downing, Jas. E. Lyffe, Wm. Bowles, Thomas M. Keegan, Patrick Carly, John McNally, R. Monahan, John Connolly, C. Lebrun, H. Dupree, Wm. Gaudette, A. Vallard, O. Vallard, J. Sabourin, John A. Nelson, M. J. Anderson, M. G. Myster, J. St. Hilaire, J. Doucette, J. Henslin, E. Plonere, G. Lambert, J. Hartley, P. Quinn, M. Regan, E. Sears, S. Green, F. Sullivan, A. McDougal, M. McMullen, John Barrett, Wm. H. Stafford, H. Draper, J. Gill, E. McCormack, and N. Gaddals.

The next meeting of the committee will be held on Sunday, March 12th. The members of the committee including Grand Chief Ranger, Wm. J. Mountain of Gardner, Mass., Wm. H. Stafford, grand secretary, will attend the class initiation of Court Napoleon, No. 92, of Haverhill, Sunday, March 6. The members will leave Merrimack square on the 12:10 car for Haverhill. The members of the hall committee have postponed their meeting until Sunday, March 12th.

FUNERALS

MARTIN.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Norbert Martin nee Claire Bourcier took place yesterday from her late home, 103 Alken avenue. Solemn high mass of requiem was sung at St. Louis church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. J. N. Jacques assisted by Rev. Frs. Duchesneau and Fortier as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Mr. Oller J. David rendered Peralta's harmonized mass, Miss Ida Monaghan presiding at the organ. Miss Cleopatra Stuard sang Leybach's "Pie Jesu" at the offertory, and at the elevation "O Salutaris" was rendered by Dr. D. T. Chagnon. At the close of the service Mrs. Oller J. David sang "Les Adieux de Schubert" and as the body was being borne from the church the choir rendered "De Profundis." St. Anne's sodality was represented by the following delegation: Mesdames J. A. Maille, Arthur Demers, Louis Cote, Olivier Laroche; the delegation of the Third Order was the following: Mesdames Alfred Gosselin, Eudora Morin, Edouard Fortin and Abraham Jutras. The bearers were Messrs. Augustin, Valentin, Leon Leberge, Bastien Bourcier, Fred Laberge. Burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Amodeo Archambault.

Mr. Phyllis I. Duvall, buyer of the wash goods department of the Bon Marche, has returned from a business trip to New York.

SOME OF MCGRAW'S LIKELY YOUNGSTERS BEING TRIED OUT AT MARLIN SPRINGS, TEXAS



MARLIN SPRINGS, Tex., March 4.—

Johnny McGraw is now hard at work preparing his men at Emerson park for the coming season. Every player of the New York team with the exception of infielder Arthur Shafer is on the ground. The latter is expected to arrive early next week. According to

McGraw, he has the greatest bunch of youngsters ever collected together at this time of the year. In fact, he says he will have a hard task in picking out the best before the season opens. The young pitchers Shontz, Jenkins, Tessera and Nagle have all shown up well. The infielders Mannush, Forsyth and Fullerton give promise of develop-

ing into stars. Much interest is being taken in the work of Bugs, or Arthur Raymond, as he wishes to be called now. The latter says he is in for a great year and will make Christy Mathewson look to his laurels. Bugs says he is on the water wagon for good and is sure he will pitch good ball for McGraw this season.

BIG POLO GAMES

The First Will be Played May 31

NEW YORK, March 4.—After nearly a month of consideration the Hurlingham club has submitted the earlier of the two sets of dates suggested in a cable by the Polo association, the final rider of the game of feet points and medals in the United States. Consequently the matches for the international cup will be played at the Meadow Brook club on Wednesday, May 31; Saturday, June 3, and Wednesday, June 7. As it is a challenge match, best two of three games, it may not be necessary to play on the third day.

Hurlingham tried to have the match put off until August, but in reply to an ultimatum from the Polo association agreed to play earlier if dates not after June 11 could be fixed. The coronation of June 22 and following days was the stumbling block to a free choice of dates. It is duty, however, and not the pursuit of pleasure that made the challenging team insist on the opportunity of attending the coronation, for they are all army officers and will be on guard if not parading with their regiments.

Win or lose, under the selection of days there will be ample time for the Hurlingham team to get back for the ceremonies, leaving their ponies to follow on another steamer. It will be the only match here for the international cup since the inaugural, when Sir John Watson's team lifted it at Newport in 1888. American teams tried and failed more than once to regain it, but the big cup remained with the Hurlingham club until a Meadow Brook team, challengers with the approval of the Polo association, turned the trick in 1892. As everyone knows now, H. P. Whitney was the captain, and his aids were Devereux Milburn, Lawrence and J. M. Waterbury, Jr.

The acceptance of dates came in a cable yesterday from the manager of the Hurlingham club to William A. Hazard, secretary-treasurer of the Polo association. It read: "Dates suggested by you, namely 31st, 3d and 7th June will be most suitable."

The Hurlingham committee, which has had charge of the negotiations, as with the committee of the Polo association, consists of nine members. They are Viscount Valentia, permanent chairman and of the original committee of 1875; F. A. Heville, W. S. Buckmaster, Major Cecil Peters, Lord Woldehouse, the Earl of Harrington, W. H. J. Jones, P. W. Nicholls and R. N. Grenville. As associates for 1911 they have Tresham Gilbey, A. M. Tree, J. S. Mason and Frank Hargreaves of the County Polo association, Lieut.-Col. R. Clifton-Brown, Lieut.-Col. E. Jenkins and Major R. D. Charlton of the Indian

Polo association; F. O. Grenfell of the South African Polo association, Major-General Rawlinson, Brig.-Gen. Kavanagh, Capt. Sadler-Jackson and Major Pittman of the army polo committee; Maj. O'Hara, A. S. Watt and Capt. Hardress Lloyd of the All Ireland Polo club.

Not only has the polo knowledge of the world been at the service of the Hurlingham committee, as the above list indicates, but the challenging team will have the inspiration also of representing the sporting spirit of all England, for over \$25,000 has been paid in voluntary subscriptions to help pay the expenses of the match. Few of the subscriptions exceeded \$25 and they came from all parts of the United Kingdom. "In this country," to quote a player, "it is to be feared not one in a hundred knows what polo is."

The subscription began as a rebuke to the Hurlingham club for what the public demand a lukewarmness in desiring a return match. If such a feeling ever existed it soon vanished. The Old Etonians challenged last year, but withdrew, but for two years, nearly Hurlingham has been picking out men and ponies for the challenging. The Britishers have also taken up the American game and know every link of it. Capt. Hardress Lloyd was selected as captain early last season and he has had the advice of two committees.

The five named by cable last week as the challenging team have been among the ten under test since the last Hurlingham season. The formation as given is Capt. F. W. Barrett, Fifteenth Hussars; Lieut. A. Noel Edwards, Ninth Lancers; Capt. Leslie St. George Chespe, Fus. King's Dragoons, and Lieut. E. W. Palmer, tenth Hussars. All are in the prime of life and have had experience in the game in India against the nimble and hard hitting natives as well as on British grounds. This winter, indeed, Chespe was hit during the Meirut tournament but was soon out again. They will probably be about forty ponies and arrive during the latter part of April, which will give them ample time to tune up.

None of the old hands of British polo familiar by visits to this country is on the team named. But many of them were playing here last season and the challengers will have the benefit of their tips as to playing conditions. On the new Hurlingham handicap list formed on the American system of ratings by goals the five placed highest at ten goals are the Meadow Brook team and W. S. Buckmaster, Lloyd, Barrett, Edwards and Chespe, with six more at nine and Palmer one of twenty-two at eight.

The dates selected come when the American tournament season will be well under way; in fact they conflict with the fixtures named for the Great Neck, and Philadelphia Country club tournaments, which will of course give way. The Polo association selected H. P. Whitney as captain and Meadow Brook as the place when the challenge from the Old Etonians was under consideration. Unquestionably, unless one of them chooses to withdraw, the Meadow Brook four that won at Hurlingham will defend the trophy. The Polo association committee will meet on Monday to discuss the international match. Horsemen regard the match as great a sporting contest as yachting and one of America's cup series and they hope to see the home players win against the world's best team and ponies.

BOXING GOSSIP

Terry Martin and Kid Henry have been matched to box in Albany next Tuesday night.

Champion Wolcott and Owen Moran have been offered a \$12,500 purse or 70 per cent. of the receipts to box in Juana, lower California.

Jim Barry received word yesterday that his match with Joe Jeannette is clinched for March 16 at Tom O'Rourke's New York club. Barry will go to Stratford, Conn. today to train for the bout.

The Jimmy Carroll who broke his arm in a bout at Brooklyn last Monday night is not the San Francisco man who will meet Al Delmont in one of the intercity bouts at the Armory A. A. Boston next Tuesday night.

Manager Hanks clinched a cracker-jack match yesterday for his August 4 A. Joe Thomas of California and Tommy Sullivan of Lawrence will be the stars. They are well matched, and Hanks should have one of the grandest scraps ever boxed in Maine.

Manager Bartley Connolly of Portland, Me., who is putting on the Billy Dixon-Kid Scaler match at the Portland auditorium tonight has arranged a great match for the semi-final, as Johnny Gallant, the hard-hitting Boston featherweight, has been elected to meet Young Hugo Kelly, of Portland.

Andy Morris of East Boston, who meets Jack Leon at Bangor, Me., tonight, left for that city last night. Kid Pantz of this city, who boxes in the semi-final bout, will help Morris finish his training while in Bangor. This is the first heavyweight match put on in Bangor for a long time, and there is considerable interest in the outcome.

DIAMOND NOTES

Seven members of last year's Harvard team are available this season. They are: William Toomey of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Ray Freil of Renova, Pa.; Mike O'Toole, who asked to be traded but is satisfied at any disposition that may be made of him; Hagan, who has not yet turned in his contract; Henry Merrill, who Billy Hamilton says he will give a thorough tryout in the box this season; Bill Moore, who is ready to return, and Joseph Jarvis of Tilton, N. H., an outfielder, who finished the season with Haverhill. Red Anderson, who was recently the only holdout, was traded last week for Grubb, third baseman and shortstop of the Binghamton club of the New York State league.

Of the new men signed there are for catchers Robert A. Neal of Dover, N. H., the New Hampshire State college graduate, who will go south with Fred Tenney's Boston team; Bert Whelan of Lynn, a friend of Jimmy Wallace of the Lynn team, and John F. Nelson, Jr., of Dorchester, who was on the same team with Jimmy, the Boston school boy taken west with the Red Sox.

Besides the three old pitchers, Providence has turned over Duffy and Greene to Haverhill. Then there are Roscoe C. Hersey of Rochester, N. Y., and Romeo Dandaneau, a young left-hander of Dover, N. H.

For first base the most likely candidate is George E. Sullivan, now located at Pinehurst, N. C., who has been secured from the Cincinnati club. The other candidates are John Hurley of Weymouth, Paul Blison of Fitchburg, William C. Mitchell of Somers-

ville, Edward Munroe of North Conway, N. H., and J. A. Fraser the old Holy Cross pitcher.

For second base there are John P. Lehtenger, Francis J. Lilly of South Boston and Robert Barratt of Boston, and the management is negotiating for another. For the third corner there are Bernard Rutherford of Eastport, Me., William Finnegan of Natick, and Thomas Hallaway of Dover, N. H. For shortstop there are James Quinn of Providence, R. I., and Monte Pfeiffer of Brooklyn, N. Y.

For the outfield there are Al Klett of New York city, who played with the Austin, Texas, team a few years ago; Burnham E. Brown of Somersworth, N. H.; W. K. Hartman of Manchester, N. H., said to be a speedy youngster; and Joe Jarvis.

Jesse Burkett is not worrying about the coming season, regardless of the fact that he will in all probability have trouble with his players signing on account of cutting his wages, and he has put on flesh. He weighs 210, or more than he ever did in his life before. Burkett's weight without doubt will cause his retirement from active playing, as it will be impossible to get back in shape.

Manager Frank Leonard left Sunday for West Virginia as he has 14 cities to visit for Bull Durham signs.

Information comes that Stovall, who played with Lynn last season and was let go, has a claim of something like \$35 against the Lynn club, and that the national commission has wired Lyons to investigate it. As far as is known there is no such claim. It is said to be for part of his transportation money.

William A. Flynn, the giant right handed pitcher, who refused to come to Worcester at the start of the 1911 season, has sent in his signed contract for this season to Manager John J. O'Donnell of the Worcester-New England league team. Flynn only weighs somewhere between 180 and 225 and is more than six feet tall.

Flynn has a terrific reputation in north central New York. He pitched and played any old position with the Colgate college team and is, like a big bunch of other good young fellows, never satisfied that he's doing too much work or trying too hard for a win. He played last summer with many and various independent teams in New York state, and was the sensation of every game he appeared in, according to reports that scouts of the Worcester team sent in to Jesse D. Burkett.

Mal Kittredge, manager of the Saginaw baseball club of the Michigan state league, has signed Frank J. Daly, formerly of Dorchester High school, as an infielder for his team this spring. Daly is an all-round athlete, having represented Dorchester High school on its football, baseball and basketball teams. He was born in that district and is 21 years of age.

POLISH CHAMPION

DEFEATED B. F. ROLLER IN WRESTLING MATCH

PHILADELPHIA, March 4.—Zbyszko, the Polish champion, defeated B. F. Roller, the former college athlete in a wrestling match at the American Athletic club here last night, taking two falls in one hour and 18 minutes. The men were matched to wrestle 1 v 1 finish, the struggle hold alone being barred. In the first fall, Zbyszko secured a half Nelson and neck hold and pinned his opponent in the mat. 210 minutes later he secured a rolling fall.

WORLD'S RECORD BROKEN

BALTIMORE, Md., March 4.—The world's record for a five-man team at sack pins was broken here last night by the Cantonville Country club team in a match game with the Baltimore Country club. Cantonville knocked down 635 pins.

DEATHS

WOLFGANG.—James Wolfgang, four years old, son of George and Anna M. Wolfgang, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 1155 Lakeview avenue, Dracut.

COUTU.—Cecile Coutu, aged 13 days, died yesterday at the home of her parents, Augustin and Delia Coutu, 10 Robert place.

Timothy Spillivan, of Andover, formerly of Lowell, was in Lowell Thursday renewing old acquaintances.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Special Sale of

CLUB BAGS

Leather lined sole, leather corners stitched edges, 15 in., \$4.49
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JIMMY GARDNER

To Meet Frank Klaus in Pittsburg

Jimmy Gardner and Frank Klaus are to meet again. They have met three times in Boston, and Paddy Minihan, Gardner's manager, figured that Hub fans had seen about enough of this pair, although the local club was quite willing to match them for a fourth meeting. But the bout will be fresh as a daisy to the Smoky City, and is certainly one of the very best contests ever billed there. The first bout in Boston between Klaus and Gardner was unsatisfactory, for Gardner was in poor shape and made a very unsatisfactory showing. But since then Jimmy has taken on a new lease of life and in his second bout with Klaus he beat the Pittsburg bearcat by a city block. The third contest saw Klaus in the best form he has ever shown in Boston, but the best he could get from Gardner was a draw. The men are very evenly matched, and the Pittsburg meeting, which is at six rounds, without a decision, won't decide anything. But it will give the Pittsburg fans a bout that will be a hammer, and at the short distance Gardner is pretty apt to have all the better of it.

THE BOOTT TEAM

Won in Manufacturers League

The final game in the Manufacturers' league series was played between the Boott and Hamilton teams on the afternoon last night and the Boott team won with comparative ease. Kirby of the winning team was high man with a triple of 23.

The game between the Majority team of the Lowell Electric Light Co. and the Minority team resulted in a victory for the Majority Five. The scores:

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

	Boott	Hamilton	Totals
Wessen	72	2	74
Greenham	70	3	73
Johnson	93	11	104
Kirby	99	101	200
Abbott	90	90	180
Totals	433	461	894

ELECTRIC LIGHT LEAGUE

	Majority Team	Minority Team	Totals
J. Wood	1	2	3
Spencer	5	110	115
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Caswell	76	38	114
Morton	88	84	172
A. Wood	82	10	92
Noon	80	78	158
Totals	499	547	1046

RUEF GOES BEHIND BARS AT SAN QUENTIN MARCH 8



SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—An order

committing Abraham Ruef, the former political leader of San Francisco, out on \$250,000 bail, to San Quentin, penitentiary, where he will serve a term of fourteen years for bribing Supervisor John J. Furey, having been made by Superior Judge William D. Lawlor, there is no further hope for the man who allied himself with the crooks of the city. Ruef was taken into custody immediately after

the court announced that a recent order granting him a rehearing had been vacated. This action was taken to mean that Ruef's last hope of escaping his sentence had been dispelled, and Ruef was arrested as soon as possible thereafter. The court, however, granted him a seven days' stay of execution of judgment to give him time in which to settle up his affairs before going to the penitentiary. He will go to a cell at San Quentin March 8.

Cremo 5
CIGAR
QUALITY PLUS

WESTERN OPEN GOLF CHAMPION GOING ABROAD TO PLAY



CHICAGO, March 4.—Another American golfer is going abroad. The latest one to announce his intention of trying his skill on the other side of the Atlantic is Charles (Chick) Evans of the Edgewood Golf club of this city, holder of the western open title. Evans plans to compete in the British amateur championships to be held on

the Prestwick links, Scotland, May 29 to June 3. Local golfers have started a subscription to contribute to his expenses. Evans is conceded to be one of the greatest golfers ever developed in this country. As Fred Herreshoff and John Anderson have also announced their intention of going abroad, America will be well represented in the event.

SENATORIAL FEATURES COTTON MILLS

Continued

That Marked Session of the 61st Congress

WASHINGTON, March 4.—In the retrospect the Sixty-first Congress, which expired by constitutional limitation at noon today, appears to have been distinguished by three things: The revision of the tariff in the so-called Payne-Aldrich bill, which was passed at an extra session in the summer of 1909, the large amount of important legislation, much of it upon the recommendation of President Taft, enacted at the regular session of 1909-10, and the exceedingly small product of the "short session," so-called, now coming to a close.

The interval between the last two sessions was marked by the political upheaval registered at the general election of last November, which changed a large republican majority into a still larger democratic majority in the house of representatives; cut the republican majority in the senate almost to the vanishing point, and incidentally effected striking changes in the senate personnel.

The failure of this session to enact much important legislation has resulted in the practical certainty that the new sixty-second congress will be called almost immediately in extraordinary session, especially by reason of the strong desire of President Taft to secure action upon the pending reciprocity agreement with Canada, and the consummation of which the contracting parties pledged the utmost efforts of the two governments.

In strong contrast with the support which the Taft administration received from the republican majority in the matter of legislation in the regular session of 1909-10 is the fact that at the present session the majority has been anything but united; the republican leaders point to the preceding sessions as more fruitful.

For the first or extra session, they point to: The Payne-Aldrich tariff act, with its maximum and minimum features and corporation tax provisions, and its customs court.

The resolution providing for an income tax amendment to the constitution. For the first regular session they refer to laws for: Establishment of postal savings banks.

Admission of New Mexico and Arizona to statehood. The most extensive census ever taken.

Creation of the commerce court, and sweeping amendments to the interstate commerce act.

Ballinger-Pinchot investigation. Cooperation of legislation, including authorization of withdrawal of public lands to preserve water sites and authorization of the issue of twenty million in bonds for completing irrigation projects.

Legislation designed to suppress the "White slave trade."

Publicity of campaign contributions at election of members of the house.

Amendment to the employers' liability act of 1908; supplemental safety appliance act; requirement that railroads report accidents; an establishment of a bureau of mine.

Reorganization of light house service.

Authorization of expenditure of \$28,000,000 for public buildings.

This resolution received more than a majority of the senate, but it needed a two-thirds vote, and fell short by only four. Had the senate passed it, the house almost certainly would have done so. The friends of this proposition entertain little doubt that it will pass the next congress, and go to the states for ratification or defeat.

The output of this session in the way of general measures consists chiefly of the appropriation bills, and several of those have seemed in danger more than once in the tense situation of the past few days when long hours passed away in filibustering on one side or the other.

Thousands of bills have been introduced and several thousands more came to the closing session as a heritage from the first and second sessions. In all, there are between \$5,000 and \$5,000 measures before the congress. It comes to a close. The failure to enact many laws was not due to lack of raw material.

These are some of the more important measures, outside appropriation bills, that the final session of this congress enacted into law:

Providing for forest reserves in the Southern Appalachian and White Mountains.

Providing for the purchase or erection of embassies, legations and consular buildings abroad.

An ocean mail bill passed the senate, but the house did not manifest enough liking for it to send it on to the White House.

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The Boot Mills

The damage done the Boot mills by the bursting of a fly wheel a few weeks ago is being repaired and the repairs are being pushed with all possible speed. The magnitude of the damage to the mill was very conservatively set forth at the time and the repairs amount, practically, to the building of a new portion. When the big belt slipped and the monster wheel went wild, it tore its way through the side of

live of The Sun, said: "We are trying to run our mills on our own money. We do not want to borrow from the selling houses or anybody else. We are not lending any money because we need all we have, and more too, to run our own business. Anybody acquainted with the business of the mill world knows that the Tremont & Suffolk is not lending money."

"We use 1500 bales of cotton a week and when cotton was selling at eight cents a pound our weekly supply cost us \$60,000. Now we are paying 15 cents a pound and our weekly supply costs us \$112,500 a week."

"Besides that we have to find \$28,000 a week to meet the pay roll and \$10,000 a week for supplies, making a total of \$150,500 a week. These are actual figures and they cannot be disputed and even at that price we have made a little money."

"We are conducting our business on a cash basis and I want to remark right here that no mill has a right to

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The board of health should get ready for a big job of spring cleaning.

The United Mine Workers have thrown their best leader, in ousting John Mitchell.

The suction shuttle must go. The onward march of factory sanitation has decreed against it.

SENATOR LODGE SIDESTEPS

Why Senator Lodge relinquished the sponsorship for the tariff board bill and turned it over to Senator Beveridge of Indiana was the subject of a lively debate in the U. S. senate the other day. It would appear that Senator Lodge wished to evade the responsibility. He undoubtedly feels that his prominence in pushing the Payne-Aldrich bill was not appreciated.

AMERICAN PEACE SOCIETY IN JAPAN

The Americans residing in Japan have formed a Peace society, the object of which is to cultivate friendly relations between Japan and the United States. The society was organized at Yokohama on the 30th ult., and the action taken and sentiments expressed brought out very favorable comments in the Japanese newspapers. The Japan Gazette praised the purpose of the meeting at which this action was taken and paid a high compliment to U. S. Ambassador Thomas F. O'Brien for the frank and fearless spirit of his speech in the course of which he said:

"Let me assure you, Mr. President, ladies and gentlemen—and I ought to know something about it—that there is no cause under the sun why there should be distrust between the people of these two countries. There are no questions of importance pending, and no business being conducted diplomatically which should excite the suspicions or make the slightest trouble between the two peoples."

This action and the changes in the treaty relations between this country and Japan have resulted in a more friendly feeling on the part of the Japanese towards this country. This was shown when 5000 Japanese residents of Honolulu turned out in parade to celebrate Washington's birthday. While we hold the Philippines we cannot afford to break with Japan, and that explains why we must concede so much to the whims of the Japanese people.

THE ROAD TO SUCCESS

There will always be found many men discontented with their lot and envying others who may have attained better positions by harder work or more scientific methods.

That is one of the greatest obstacles to success in this busy world today. It recalls the fable of the dog with a bone in his mouth when crossing a stream. Seeing the reflection of the bone he carried, he dropped the substance to grasp at the shadow. That is analogous to what many people do when they neglect or abandon their regular occupation or business to enter some other. They know the disadvantages of that in which they are now engaged; but they may not know the drawbacks of that they wish to enter.

There is in every business certain principles to be learned and applied before success can be attained. The man who views a house, an apartment or a calling from the outside cannot have an accurate idea of it, and hence it is foolish for anybody to judge of an avocation without the positive knowledge necessary to guide the judgment. The man who keeps shifting from one calling to another, or from one place to another will seldom achieve real success which depends mainly upon continued effort in one direction.

Mountains have been bored through and tunnels constructed by the process of continual drilling, by boring into the solid rock, then excavating and propping up the sides. This requires perseverance, and so does every task of any importance. To accomplish such a feat it would be futile to bore a little distance in one direction, then change to another direction in the hope of finding a shorter way.

Some of the greatest failures in every business result from lack of concentration on one thing or of continued effort in one direction.

It was Ruskin who said: "If you want knowledge you must toil for it; if food you must toil for it, and if pleasure you must toil for it; toil is the law."

Emerson says that "no way has been found for making heroism easy, even for the scholar. Labor, iron labor, is for him. The world was created as an audience for him; the atoms of which it is made are opportunities." "Labor omnia vincit," or "Labor conquers all things," was the maxim of the ancients, and "Laborare est orare"—"To work is to pray," was first enunciated by a Roman sage. Both maxims are as true today as of old, yet there are many who do not believe in honest work. It is surprising to find how many eschew toil and endeavor to live by dishonest means or by the toil of others.

Carlyle asserts the unspeakable holiness of work and honors but the toiling craftsman and the man who toils for the spiritually indispensable, not daily bread but the bread of Life. These two he honors and all else he regards as "chaff and dust." Assuming that work is the gospel of practical life, it is further to be said that to be successful the work must be intelligent and along right lines.

Excellence is attained only by oft repeated effort in the right direction. Excellence is the result of work, hard work. Many of those who are said to be gifted with genius possess only the power to work hard with the hope of doing things better at every new attempt. He who gets the habit of carelessness in execution will never attain excellence. Every great artist that ever lived worked hard to improve his natural gifts. Men may be born with the talent for poetry or art; but like the statue that lies hidden in the block of marble, their gifts might never come to light but for the effects of education. The persevering worker who sets his face towards the highest excellence may not reach the goal, as few ever do, but he will at least accomplish that widely desired end known as success.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Slater, the man who slashed Rembrandt's "Nightwatch," has disappeared, and may be in this country now. Arrested on the spot, he was released on his own recognizance, and immediately took advantage of the opportunity afforded him by the Dutch law. A sentence of two years' imprisonment awaits him if he ever returns home.

The Somerville School committee has promoted Harry L. Jones, sub-master in the English High school, and for several years connected with the conduct of athletic sports by the two Somerville High schools, to be also supervisor of manual training in the Boys' Industrial school. This duty will be added to his previous school work, and he will receive an increase of \$300 in salary.

The homage paid to Sluger, the dead German socialist, was something out of all reckoning. Berlin had a deeply impressive exhibition of the funeral of the German proletarian on the day when a million people attended, either as participants or sympathetic observers, the funeral obsequies of the great social democrat.

The dead fool's remains were borne to the grave in a procession five miles long which was many hours passing given point. There has been no such mourning by the populace since the burial of the Emperor William I., twenty-three years ago. Estimates vary as to the number of the marching mourners. None places them lower than 150,000, while the multitudes through which they thrived their way and which choked the intersecting streets from the Vorwarts offices in the center of the city to the Friedrichsberg cemetery, entirely included the myriads crowding the windows, balconies and roofs throughout the populous east end of Berlin, one would not be far astray, it is said, in calculating that a third of the population of the metropolis paid a tribute to Herr Sluger's memory.

Apart from the numerical magnitude, the outstanding feature of the funeral was the enormous number of magnificent wreaths. There could not have been fewer than 2,000. All four feet in diameter. Each was carried shoulder high between a pair of stalwart journeymen. The wreaths were embellished with broad red streamers with inscriptions expressing fervent socialist sentiments.

From one of the many points a full half-mile of scarlet blooms and waving ribbon could be surveyed. Floral offerings came from organizations in England, France, Belgium, Holland and the rest of Europe. The city of Berlin was officially represented at the funeral by the chief and vice burgomasters and members of the city council, to which Herr Sluger belonged.

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Sir John Murray, the eminent British naturalist and scientist who is reported as recovering from a critical illness with which he was taken recently in Boston while delivering a series of lectures at the Lowell institute, was born at Coburg, Oct. 2, 1841. He was educated in the public schools of London, Ont., then went to Victoria college at Coburg, after which he continued study along his chosen lines at Edinburgh university. There he distinguished himself, winning a large number of prizes and medals. Leaving Edinburgh he began active exploration. Aboard a whaling vessel he visited Spitzbergen and the Arctic regions in 1868. Later he accompanied the British expedition appointed to explore the physical conditions of great ocean basins. Afterward he was a member of the expeditions for the exploration of the Faroe channel. Between 1886 and 1889 he made many expeditions among tropical oceanic islands. In recognition of his services to scientific knowledge the order of knighthood was conferred upon him in 1898.

AN ENTERTAINMENT

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An entertainment will be given in the Moody school hall at 3.30, next Tuesday afternoon the proceeds of which will be used to beautify the school grounds. The program is as follows:

Mixed quartet, "Red, Red Rose," Mrs. G. H. Spaulding, Miss May L. Eveleth, Mr. Herbert F. Whipple, Mr. Hugh Johnson; soprano solo, "An Open Secret," Miss Dorothy Hurd; soprano and contralto duet, "Carmena," Misses Emily and Eveleth; trio, "A Frolic Moll," Misses H. Johnson, H. Johnson, Whidden and Mrs. Whidden; tenor and bass duet, "See the Pale Moon," Messrs. Whipple and Johnson; contralto solo, "Sunset," Miss Eveleth; violin solo, "Hejre-Kati," Mr. Edward Efron; two sopranos, duet, "Neath the Stars," Miss Emily and Mrs. Spaulding; bass solo, "Dream," Mr. Johnson; ladies' quartet, "Four Little Country Maids," Misses Hurd, Emily, Eveleth and Mrs. Spaulding. Messrs. P. E. Sullivan, Chas. F. Kelley, J. J. Pickman, E. S. Hyman, F. H. Church, Harry Dunlap and John E. Drury have contributed eighteen trees for the school yard.



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WHEAT RECEIPTS

A Decrease in the Interior Markets

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Decreased receipts of wheat at leading interior markets, and smaller shipments of flour are the leading features of the commercial movements of breadstuffs during January of the present year, as reported by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor. For the first time also the monthly exports of wheat, were less in quantity than the exports of corn.

Grain receipts during January at 15 important markets, \$9,403,731 bushels, show but little variations from the January figures of the preceding year. The January average for the preceding 5-year period. The total inbound movement was made up of 16,494,484 bushels of wheat; 28,422,333 bushels of corn; 16,487,593 bushels of oats; 6,187,041 bushels of barley; and 752,050 bushels of rye. As compared with corresponding 1910 figures for the more important grains, the receipts of corn, oats, and barley, show larger totals, while those of wheat show a sharp decline from the corresponding monthly total. It should be stated that this decline is not a peculiar feature of the January receipts. As a matter of fact, wheat receipts for all the months of the current season beginning with September were lower than the year before, indicating either heavier receipts at the smaller markets, for which no official reports are had, or else larger stocks in the hands of the producers. The decrease may be said to affect almost equally the spring wheat and the winter wheat markets. Wheat receipts at these markets for the five months of the present crop period fell more than 20 per cent. short of like receipts during the 1909-10 season and about 13 per cent. short of the average receipts during the same period for the preceding five crop seasons. The corn receipts at fifteen interior markets for the five months, 1910, 201,168 bushels, were heavier than for the same periods in the preceding five seasons, the larger receipts for the current season corresponding to the larger export demands at the Atlantic ports. The five months' receipts of oats, 30,537,225 bushels, were larger, while those of barley, 44,607,655 bushels, smaller than for the preceding season.

The total grain receipts during the five months' period since September were 239,742,132 bushels, compared with 400,230,433 bushels for the same period last year and an average of over 406 million bushels for the preceding five-year period. The January shipments of four from thirteen milling centers, 2,755,804 barrels, likewise show an unfavorable turn as compared with the figures of the preceding months and the corresponding January 1910 total.

The month witnessed increased receipts of corn at the four principal Atlantic ports, 10,485,721 bushels, compared with 7,830,845 bushels received during January, 1910, and 5,487,514 bushels received during January, 1909. Wheat receipts at the four Atlantic ports totaled only 1,240,473 bushels, with 3,254,409 bushels received in January, 1910, and 4,308,450 bushels received in January, 1909; the exports at these ports showing corresponding declines. As a matter of fact, of the total domestic exports of wheat for the month, 2,789,151 bushels, almost 75 per cent, was shipped from the Pacific ports, the exports from Portland, Oregon, and Puget Sound points leading those from any other custom district, both for the month as well as for the cumulative period since July, 1910. It should be stated, though, that the seven months' wheat exports for the present fiscal year, 17,195,728 bushels, were practically only one-third of the average seven months' exports for the preceding five-year period. The largest shrinkage in the wheat exports is shown by the Gulf ports, particularly Galveston and New Orleans.

The total four exports for the seven months' period ending January, 1911, 5,848,749 barrels, were about 26 per cent. below the average exports for the seven months of the preceding five years. The seven months' flour exports from the four leading Atlantic ports are given as 41,864 barrels, compared with 730,554 barrels in 1910 and 1,917,180 barrels in 1909. The corn exports for the seven months' period of the present fiscal year, 28,955,450 bushels, were larger than in 1909 and 1910, and of about equal quantity to those of wheat, though falling considerably below, like exports during the years prior to 1909. The exports of barley during the seven months of the present fiscal year, 8,229,541 bushels, proceeded mainly from San Francisco and show a large gain over like exports in earlier years.

The value of all breadstuffs exported during the seven months of the present year was \$72,535,445, showing a decline of 23 per cent., as compared with the figures for the preceding year, and a loss of about 46 million dollars since 1905, notwithstanding the considerable rise in prices since that year.

LOWELL CITY LIBRARY

WEEKLY LIST OF ADDITIONS.

ARTHUR, W. The new estimator. 690.100
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THE STATE BOARD

To Distribute Seed of Field Corn

At the annual meeting of the state board of agriculture the board approved the recommendation of Secretary Ellsworth that he secure seed of superior strains of field corn, mainly of Flint varieties, and distribute small quantities to such farmers as will agree to plant and care for it properly, and return double the amount received, for further distribution.

The first distribution under this plan will take place at the office of the State Board of Agriculture, room 136, state house, Boston, on Friday, March 10th next, beginning at 11 o'clock a.m. The terms are as above stated, each farmer to receive not exceeding three ears, according to the number applying for the same, with the agreement that he shall plant the same where it will mix with other strains, and if successful in its culture, return double the number of ears, in the autumn of 1911. The board will hold a corn exhibition in its office at some date to be determined later and those receiving this seed corn will be asked to exhibit at that time.

No trouble or expense has been spared in securing good corn for this distribution, some excellent strains being included in the lot which Secretary Ellsworth has on hand, among others those of Mr. George B. Stickney, of Newbury, Mass., who took first prize for the best ear of Flint corn at the New England corn exposition; Mr. Harry Chapin, of Sheffield, Mass., winner of the first prize for the "largest ear of Flint corn" ever seen; and Percy D. Davis of Granby, Mass., who took the Bowker prize for the largest yield per acre at the same show.

The object of the distribution is to improve the quality of the corn grown in the state, and this, it is believed, can best be accomplished by a wide distribution of seed among a large number of growers. As one Worcester county farmer succeeded in growing six bushels of well ripened corn from the seed obtained from one ear of the Stickney corn, in 1910, it will be seen that any grower can get a very good start toward improvement by securing his share in this distribution.

The scientific side of the question will not be neglected and Dr. George M. Twitchell, of Maine, himself a successful corn breeder, will give his lecture, "A plain story from the corn field," at the rooms of the board, on the date above mentioned. All are invited to attend this lecture, even though their plans are not such as to include taking advantage of the seed distribution.

Realizing that there will be many farmers throughout the state who will not be able to come to the office of the board, and who will yet desire to avail themselves of this opportunity, Secretary Ellsworth will send the allotted number of ears to any such applying by mail for the same, preference to be given to those attending the meetings, and other applications to be filed in order of their receipt, if the supply allows. Application should be made to J. Lewis Ellsworth, Sec. State Board of Agriculture, State House, Boston, Mass.

REAL ESTATE

Transactions Recorded During the Week

The following real estate sales for Lowell and suburban towns were recorded at the registry of deeds for the present week:

LOWELL
Kate T. Dimon to Cora K. Barrows, land and buildings on Parkview ave., \$1.
Omer Deziel to Ubald Allard, land and buildings on Cheever st. \$1.
Olinde R. Park to Mary G. Farris, land on Orchard st. \$1.
Emma F. Hemmingsway, to Clara Witham, land on Beacon st. \$1.
Flora I. Moffitt to Nellie B. Johnson, land and buildings on Wilder st. \$1.
John L. Van Tassel, et ux, to Alfred

Bibeault, land and buildings on Ford st. \$1.

Criterion Knitting Co.'s est. to John L. Keyes, land and buildings on Lincoln and London sts. \$21,133.

Anna W. Holt to George H. Watson, et ux, land and buildings on Davenport st., West and Pine sts. \$1.

Joseph F. Burns' est. to the Central Savings Bank, land and buildings on Crosby st. \$250.

Henry J. Heaps to Sewall A. Potter, land and buildings on L. st. \$1.

John C. Custer et al. to Carl F. Phil, land and buildings on Lawrence, Boylston and Carter sts. \$1.

Joseph Martin to the Roman Archbishop of Boston, land and buildings on Middlesex st. \$1.

DRACUT

Lucelia A. Willoughby to Holden Colburn et al., land, \$1.

Xavier Blegder of ux, to John W. Dwight, land and buildings, \$1.

CHELMSEFORD

Alvah H. Nickles to Rebecca, Juno Sargent, land and buildings, \$1.

BILLERICA

George H. Shields Jr. to Joseph F. Russell, land at Nutting's Lake Park Annex, \$1.

Joseph Wright to Margaret W. Wright, land on Ford st. \$1.

Edgar P. Selver to Guy L. Coates, land at Riverside, \$1.

DUNSTABLE

F. A. Houle to James Stancombe, land and buildings on Main st. \$350.

TEWKSBURY

Grace V. Nickerson to Zillah P. Stowers, land on Willow st. \$1.

Lydia A. Chapman to Michael Senecal, land and buildings on Whipple road, \$1.

W. Hubert Wood Jr. to John Johnson, land at Shawheen River park, \$1.

TYNGSBORO

Alvin C. Falker to Paul Peters, land on Old Lowell road and First st. \$1.

Jonathan Bowers et al. to Jennie M. Wolcott, land at Willow Dale, \$1.

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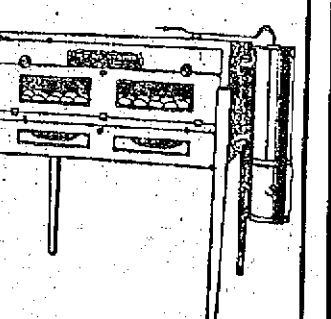
George A. DeLand et al. to Florinda Troisi, land on Cambridge avenue, \$1.

George H. Shields Jr. to James B. Forristall, land at Pinegrove park, \$1.

Flora I. Moffitt to Nellie B. Johnson, land and buildings on Wilder st. \$1.

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BAR AND BOTTLE

Hearings on the Bill to Repeal Measure Brought to a Close

BOSTON, March 4.—The legislative committee on the liquor law held sessions morning and afternoon at the state house yesterday and closed the hearings on all the bills relative to the repeal of the bar and bottle bill and the classification of licenses. Although the attendance was not as large as the other day, when the committee heard the bill for the repeal of the bar and bottle act, there was still comparatively little standing room in the chamber throughout the day.

The various reclassification bills took up all the morning session. The particular bill on which most stress was laid by the petitioners was house bill 901, on petition of Thomas J. Fuller. The bill reclassifies liquor licenses in a manner that the first class reads that the dealer may "sell liquors of any kind to be drunk on the premises, and in quantities of less than five gallons."

The petitioners were represented by Thomas F. Strange.

The important point made by Atty. Strange was this: Under the first license law the retail dealer was granted a first class license which permitted him to sell liquor to be drunk on the premises. Under the internal revenue regulations the dealer was also allowed to sell up to five gallons. Then came a time when the city of Boston needed new or additional funds and some way was sought to raise them.

The excise board, at that time a city institution, conceived that idea of splitting the fourth class license into fourth A and fourth B and compelled the holder of the first class license to take out in conjunction with it the fourth class A, which permitted the sale of bottled goods. This was the arbitrary act of the excise commission, without any assistance from the legislature.

Thomas M. Donnelly, the temperance lecturer, spoke against the bar and bottle act in the interest of "true gospel temperance." The man that ought to be helped, he said, is the drunkard, and the bar and bottle act helps him, at least of all. He said he prayed to God for the repeal of that act, "not for republicans or democrats, not for liquor sellers, or prohibitionists or cranks, but for the poor drunkard, who must be helped."

Reclassification Bill Opposed

The reclassification bill was opposed by Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, who led off for the restraints. He stated that there was no such revenue tax by the United States government of state by the petitioners' representatives. He termed the bill an indirect attempt to repeal the bar and bottle act.

Miss Alice L. Higgins, general secretary of the associated charities of Boston, was against the pending bill. She claimed that 33 per cent of the sick and aged in the city are dependent on the sale of liquor for their support, and the neglect of the illness of children. The introduction of the bottle into the home is just the same as the introduction of the bar into the home, she said.

Committeeman O'Donnell asked her if it would not be a good idea for a woman to get a bottle in the grocery store after the bar and bottle bill took effect as it was before it.

To this, Miss Higgins replied, that if the bar and bottle bill was repealed this year there would be other legislatures coming and the attempt would be made to put in on the statute books again. This reply, while not quite responsive, satisfied Representative O'Donnell.

Thomas Brennan of the Boston social union said the present conditions are harmful to the people of Boston, and that in some sections of the city it is a common thing for men to drink until the saloons close and then buy bottled goods for consumption or sale in the alleys and side streets of the neighborhood.

Meyer Bloomfield said he represents a district of 35,700 people who are an open sewer for the sale of no-license towns which haven't the decency to keep their drunks at home. On Saturday nights in the North End police station, he declared, the desks are covered with bottles of whiskey taken from drunks.

Drunks should be apportioned equitably, he thought, and then the North End would have no more the Back Bay. The burden is on the saloons, the police and the licensing authorities to prevent the sale of liquors to intoxicated men. The present system puts a premium on hitting a man and his family when he is down.

E. A. Gilman of Boston said he devoted his evenings to observing violations of the liquor laws. He had seen numerous cases of these violations and had brought some of them to the attention of the licensing board. He had secured action by the board in two cases. He found the licensing board absolutely fair.

At the afternoon session each side was given an hour to close on both the classification and the bar-and-bottle repeal bills.

Robert A. Wood, for the opposition, called several witnesses, among whom

was Rev. Dr. O. P. Gifford of Brookline for the Boston federation of churches, who opposed any repeal of the act of last year. He believed the act will diminish drunkenness.

Mrs. Frank L. Young of the Dorchester woman's club, 500 members, asked for a fair trial of the act. She appealed for the woman whose husband is incapacitated by rum. The source of life is woman's make it easier for us to live," said Mrs. Young.

Ex-Mayor Frederick Fosdick of Fitchburg said that in the last license campaign his city was flooded with circular appeals to the voter to vote for license on the ground that the bar and bottle act would be in operation and that it would be conducive to temperance if there was license in the city.

Rev. Christopher R. Elliot of the Boston federation of churches spoke against repeal.

Mr. Wood called upon those who were in the room to state whom they represented outside of the federation of churches, and the Reform club, Good Templars and various church societies were named.

"And who do you represent?" asked Mr. Wood of the last remaining individual, a solemn-faced person.

"I represent the bartenders' union, 2600 members," was the wholly unexpected reply.

There was a roar of laughter.

"What?" said Mr. Wood.

"The bartenders' union, 2600 members," reiterated the delegate, who was evidently nonplussed by the shouts of laughter.

"Evidently he is in the right church, but in the wrong pew," remarked opposing counsel Edward A. McLaughlin. Thomas F. Strange closed in a 20-minute argument for the repeal of the act. He declared that all the argument in favor of this act was prohibition. These people who had been sent up to the state house and made it as uncomfortable as they could for his side were prohibitionists. If the committee thought the time was ripe for prohibition then it would report against this bill, if on the other hand it did not think that, but wished to be fair, they would report the bill for the repeal of this law.

Robert A. Wood and M. M. Johnson divided the time closing for the opponents of the repeal of the bar and bottle act.

Mr. Wood said that if it was true that the bartender wouldn't sell to a drunken man then the 90,000 drunks that were last year got their liquor from the bar and bottle act and it was an argument against the saloon.

Mr. Johnson said that the campaign had been a campaign of abuse and blackguardism. Three legislators had said that this bill was a good thing.

LEADING DOCTOR

Marries His \$17,000,000 Patient

NEW YORK, March 4.—For a second time Mrs. Julia Watt Morris Curdiss of Bridgeport, Conn., and New York, has married her physician. This time her choice has fallen upon Dr. George Alfred Lawrence, the nervo specialist of 676 Madison avenue. Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence are spending their honeymoon quietly in Philadelphia, after having been secretly married on Feb. 14, in Wilmington, Del.

The bride's first husband was Peter Morris of Boston, from whom she obtained a divorce in 1897. She had three children by the first marriage, and before she took Dr. Rollin A. Curdiss for a second husband, he had been her private physician and tutor of her eldest son.

Dr. Curdiss and his wife were divorced in 1904. Dr. Lawrence thus is a third husband, but her second choice as a physician husband.

Mrs. Lawrence inherited about \$17,000,000 from Archibald Watt and Mr. G. Pinkney, and after a career of extravagance, in 1907, she was declared incompetent to manage her affairs.

THE IRISH LEAGUE

ARRANGING FOR BIG MEETING ON MARCH 19

The United Irish league will hold an important meeting in A. O. H. hall tomorrow evening to complete arrangements for the lecture and demonstration on Sunday evening, March 19, in aid of the home rule cause. On that night one of the speakers will be Capt. Edward McGeer Condon, connected with the United States treasury department at Washington. His secret offices as an Irish patriot are well known. The other speakers will be Mr. John O'Callaghan, national secretary of the United Irish league. There are no two other men living better informed on the Irish question than Messrs. Condon and O'Callaghan. There will be other attractive features of the program and altogether the meeting promises to be one of the best ever held in Lowell.

At the meeting tomorrow evening an address will be delivered by Mr. Richard Lyons, a former president and a musical and literary program will also be carried out. All members and friends of the cause are invited to attend.

PITCHER COOKE

WILL NOT PLAY BASEBALL ON SUNDAY

CHICAGO, March 4.—President Murphy looks for a moral uplift among the members of the training squad when they return from the south. Cooke, the pitching recruit from Peoria, son of an Arkansas minister, is opposed to playing on Sunday and asked to be excused from Sabbath duty when he signed his contract. Both President Murphy and Manager Chance respected his wishes in the matter and granted his request. Cooke is expected to fill the gap made by Overall's refusal to play this season.

REBEL TROOPS THREATEN CHIHUAHUA

DANGEROUSLY AND CITY SUFFERS



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FEDERAL OFFICERS IN CHIHUAHUA

EL PASO, March 4.—The rebel troops having centered around Chihuahua in large numbers, and railroad communication with the locality having been for the most part destroyed, the city is in immediate danger of falling into the hands of the insurgents. Telegrams received from Chihuahua say that owing to the railroads being cut off north and south the price of provisions is rising rapidly and foreigners and natives alike are suffering on account of stagnation of business. The troops dare not go outside of town for fear of being trapped by the insurgents. One dispatch says the town is alarmed by reports that the city's surrender has been demanded. An estimate places the number of insurgents west of the city at 1,500, with Madero and his force advancing from the north.

COUNT APPONYI

Defends Himself from Attacks Made

BOSTON, March 4.—Count Albert Apponyi of Hungary who has been speaking in this country on universal peace, visited Boston and Cambridge yesterday. In his address before the students of Harvard university he defended himself from attacks made by fellow countrymen in America. Nearly every student in the university had received a pamphlet signed by the Slavok national committee, Cleveland, O., attacking the Hungarian statesman for his alleged attitude against the non-magyar people. To meet this attack, Count Apponyi who was introduced by President Lowell, discussed the racial problem in Hungary, the relations of which with Austria he likened to those of Canada with Great Britain. The malecontents, he said, had no authority to speak for the Slavok Hungarian tongue and customs.

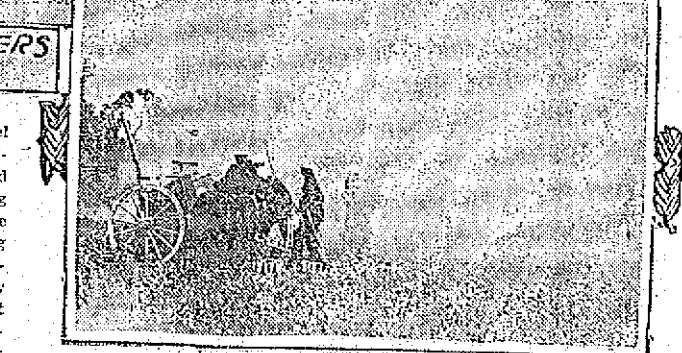
In Faneuil hall last night where other speakers, including Gov. Foss, former Gov. John D. Long and Secretary of the International peace society, Benjamin F. Frothingham, recalled the visit there more than half a century ago of the Hungarian patriot, Kossuth. Count Apponyi spoke again on world peace. His remarks followed closely those which he has made elsewhere.

THE OPERA HOUSE

The final performances of "The Lion and the Mouse" as given by the Thompson-Plynn stock company will be given at the Opera House today and for the entire week, with matinees daily beginning Tuesday. This excellent company of players will present "The Call of the North," a play presented here by Robert Edison, and founded on what is conceded to be Stewart Edward



STREET VENDORS



FEDERAL FIELD BATTERY

CHERBOURG, France, March 4.—Jose Yves Limantour, Mexican minister of finance, has sailed for New York on the North German Lloyd steamer Kronprinz Wilhelm, accompanied by his wife. The minister has been in Paris since August. His mission was to place in Europe bonds in conversion of the Mexican national debt to the amount of \$110,000,000. One-half of the issue has been placed, but the minister decided not to dispose of the remainder at this time.

White's most dramatic story, "Conjuror's House," Mr. Stanley will be seen in the role of "Ned Trent," a free trader who, because his father has been sent to his death by the factor of particular trading post, has decided to avenge his parent and poolies in the Hudson bay territory for the purpose of securing the necessary proofs against the man whose life is to be the payment of the crime. Trent is ordered out of the territory by the factor, but he returns, is captured and informed that unless he becomes an employee of the post he will be sent on a long voyage to the north.

Trent refuses to become one of them and through the love of the factors daughter he secures the necessary firearms and escapes. His capture and final pardon are brought about through what are said to be scenes of fine dramatic construction. The locale being Northwestern Canada, permits of elaborate scenic settings which have been prepared by the mechanical staff employed at the Opera House. The first of the daily matinees next week will begin on Tuesday, when souvenir photographs of some member of the stock company will be given to every lady holding a reserved seat ticket. Seats are now on sale for all performances and the advance sale indicates a lively interest in the forthcoming production.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Next week's attraction at this popular little playhouse will be James Steven's dramatization, of Augusta Evans Wilson's famous novel, "St. Elmo," presented by the Donald Meek Stock Co. with Severin De Deyn. The majority of the theatre-going public is familiar with this charming story of life in the south, with its fearless type of men, its strong emotions, its delicious humor, and its absorbing love story. And it is doubtful if any novel written in the past decade has been so widely read as this beautiful story of the Tennessee, which tells of the great love of St. Elmo Murray for the poor little girl, Edna Barde. "St. Elmo" is essentially a comedy drama, the atmosphere and characters southern, and the scene of the story laid in and around Lookout Mountain, Tennessee, during the Civil war period, consequently, the play affords a splendid opportunity for excellent stage settings.

Act one discloses a beautiful garden in the Tennessee mountains, act two depicts the interior of St. Elmo's home at Le Boeuge four years later, act three the village church, one month later,

and act four, a drawing room at Le Boeuge one year later.

Severin De Deyn will be seen in the title role, and it is doubtful if he has appeared to better advantage since his return to Lowell at the head of this popular organization of players. Miss Back as Edna Barde, a beautiful, dashing, courageous girl of the south of half a century ago, is seen at her best. She invests the character with a



NINON DUVAL With the Donald Meek Co.

charm that is irresistible. Donald Meek, George J. Morgan, William Thompson, Tom Hall, James Davitt, Ada Altton, Ninon Duval, and Doris Dutton are all consequently cast, and a pleasing performance is assured. "St. Elmo" carries the audience back to the days of strife, when the south was struggling for her independence. In preparation, "Old Heidelberg."

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

One of these mysterious offerings which is not only marvelous in what it displays, but tantalizing in the fathomable methods employed by the ar-

MADE 80-FOOT DIVE

Husband of Lowell Woman Was Injured at Bridgeport

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 4.—Frank Payne, a young aviator of this city, who was to have made an exhibition flight at the Seaside park aerodrome here today, lies in the Bridgeport hospital severely bruised and suffering from shock as the result of an accident to his Curtiss biplane that occurred late yesterday afternoon. His machine is a wreck, and it seems almost miraculous that the young aviator escaped with his life.

Arrangements had been made by the city officials for the exhibition today, and Payne had been practicing daily for the event. The wind was nearer perfect for flying yesterday than it had been any time this week.

Payne went through the stunts yesterday morning which he was to perform today. Yesterday afternoon, he continued, and each effort with success until about 4 o'clock, when there was a drizzling rain falling, and he decided to make a more pretentious trial.

He left the ground beautifully, and had flown fully 1000 feet just over the tree tops when he attempted to make a landing in a cleared place. He evidently miscalculated, and the left wing of his plane caught in a branch of a tree about 30 feet above the ground.

The aviator was seen to attempt to right the machine as it swung, but could not get it clear of the tree and it dove into the ground like a seagull dives for a fish.

When it landed Payne was underneath the biplane, the machine a total wreck.

There were no doctors in the crowd, but the ambulance was called. As soon as spectators pulled the wrecked machine from the cramped-up body of

the aviator, he was taken to Bridgeport hospital. He partly regained consciousness before reaching the hospital.

To the astonishment of all, it was found on examination that Payne's only injuries were two severe cuts over and underneath his left eye, a sore chest and innumerable body and leg bruises. Not a bone was broken. The shock to his nervous system, however, is considerable. The doctors say they can find no evidences of internal injuries.

LOWELL GIRL

IS THE WIFE OF THE INJURED AVIATOR

Mr. and Mrs. William Naylor of this city are the parents of Mrs. Payne whose husband was injured at Bridgeport. Mrs. Naylor said she feared constantly there might be an accident when she learned that her son-in-law had become an aviator.

Mrs. Naylor said her son-in-law made some aviation flights in New York, and the flight at Bridgeport she supposed was to be made today.

Mr. Payne is about 30 years old. He is employed by his father, who is in the packing business in Wilkesbarre, Pa. Miss Jennie E. Naylor and Frank Payne were married here about two years ago. Rev. George B. Dean, then pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church, officiating.

Mrs. Naylor believed that Mr. Payne was not dangerously hurt, as her daughter would have sent word by telegram or would have telephoned to Lowell had he been.

state, heads a strong and well balanced bill at the Merrimack Square theatre next week. Indeed, the program promises to be one of the best of the winter season.

Lora is the young woman, rather, the young girl, who surrounds herself and her offering with so much of the mysterious. Lora is billed as the Human Parrot. Blindedfolded and alone upon the stage, she reads watch numbers to her in the audience. There is much else to the offering, of course, but this brief outline will suggest how interesting it all is.

Lora, who is a very charming person, is in the vanguard, the "real goods" too. Just as a proof of her powers, she guarantees—or her manager does—a five dollar bill to the person who brings an English visiting card to next Friday night's performance, March 10, which she can not read.

There are lots of other choice bits on the bill. Ivy and Ivy, or Jack and Mabel, to be familiar, one of the most popular comedy teams on the road, appear in a "scream" called "Woman, Woman, Woman." It's a laugh all through.

Miss May Duryea and her company present a one-act playlet called "The Imposter." This is from the pen of Edmond Day, the author of "The Roundup," so that patrons will appreciate what this offering means. The company is an excellent one, well calculated to present this little play with proper presentation.

Shorty Edwards—two feet of fun, he says—is small, but what there is of him is amusing, very much so. The little comedian is a sure laugh provoker and has a monolog worth hearing. Ray P. Dennis, at the special request of numerous patrons, will remain a soloist for one more week.

Of course the pictures will be all new and of the best.

There will be the usual three concerts, Sunday, at 3, 7 and 9 o'clock respectively. There will be a feature bill and new pictures.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

An act that will be very pleasing to the children especially, today is that of Sir General the world's most highly educated pony. This little animal performs all kinds of stunts such as spelling names, telling time and making change in dollars and cents from a cash register. For a clever ventriloquist and will amuse with his funny mechanical figures. McIntire and Franklin Twins sing and dance in a fascinating manner. There will be a sacred concert on Sunday. The vaudeville features for Monday will include Dunn Bros. comedians and comedies, John B. Cooke & Co. in a comedy playlet, "Blinkie's Last Trick," McPhee & Hill, comedy aerial novelty act.

THEATRE VOYONS

Commencing Monday the Theatre Voyons will show a three-reef production of "The Tale of Two Cities," well known as in its literary form, the novel by Charles Dickens, it has been read by thousands. It also has been played as a dramatic production under the titles of "Sydney Carton and The Only Miller" starting in the latter version. The three-reef production is one of the best made and tells the story in its

entirety. It is a landmark in motion picture photography and should be seen by everyone who is interested in good pictures.

COLONIAL THEATRE

It is a well balanced show that Mr. Dovey, the new lessee of the Colonial, is giving at his theatre for the first three days of this week. "Raleigh and Raleigh" in "Eva's Debut," are a team of four makers. The other acts are above the average. Mr. Dovey uses only licensed films including those of the American Biograph and Pathé, and will produce them first in this city, getting them ahead of other theatres. The change should see the "Capturing Wild Animals in Africa," that is being produced today, for it is a picture of greatest interest. Grand sacred concerts are to be given Sunday afternoon and evening.

CZAR OF RUSSIA

To Finish Work Begun by Grandfather

ST. PETERSBURG, March 4.—[An imperial rescript published yesterday.] Emperor Nicholas announces his intention to complete his grandfather's work for the emancipation of the serfs by transferring the peasants into not merely free but economic, strong land owners. This may be achieved, the emperor says, by affording the peasants facilities to leave their communities and by improvement in agricultural science.

Czar Nicholas II, in his effort to supplement the task begun by his grandfather, Alexander II, already has gone to lengths that would not have been predicted in the first years of his reign. In August, 1907, he issued a ukase transferring 1,500,000 acres of crown lands to the peasants' bank for sale to peasants on easy terms, and on the 15th of October, following, another ukase released them to a large extent from the restraints of the communal system. This law of subdivision of property has been going on through out European Russia in a way which has scarcely surprised the best friends of the nation, and, as administered by M. Stolypin, it has been one of the most creditable reforms of his administration.

One of the measures before the present Duma has been a rural holding law, which authorizes the consolidation of isolated holdings, the exchange of owners of adjacent lands; it creates the necessary surveying and appraisal commissions, and even admits the principle of expropriation when owners of intervening strips refuse to sell.

Evidently the czar and prime minister now have their mind further extended on this movement, among the peasantry which makes the direction of individual ownership of land and, in consequence, for conservatism. They also apparently have outlined a system of training of the peasantry and small farmers in rudimentary agricultural science which they so much need. Here the czar and his advisers may well turn to the United States for a model of what a national department of agriculture, aided by agricultural colleges and experiment stations, can do in diffusing knowledge that benefits the soil and also the national exchequer.

THE NAVAL BILL

House Agrees to Senate Amendments

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Over the protest of Chairman Foss of the naval committee, the house today agreed to senate amendments to the naval appropriation bill, which increased the limit of cost of the collector and the battleship authorized in the bill.

Mr. Foss said that the senate amendments raising the cost of battleships to \$15,000,000 and of the collector to \$1,200,000 were to enable the department to have the ships built in a government navy yard if desired.

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FAMILY SUPPLY GROCERS

HERE IT IS—THE TROUSERETTE SKIRT



A CREATION OF POIRET'S.

WOMEN in all states of the Union haven't succeeded in getting all their rights, the ballot and other civic accessories, but the spring fashions have given them the trouserette skirt, which is a step, so the suffragettes may think, in the right direction. Its creator, Paul Poiret of Paris, says that, "despite its very novel features, this costume is not likely to arouse criticism on the ground of immodesty." That's "going some," monsieur. But to describe the suit, the skirt is made of white dotted permo and the very chic little blouse of black sicilienne.

THE CATECHISING WIFE

There is one variety of question which should never under any circumstances be asked of a husband—for instance, "If your mother and I were drowning, which would you save first?" Comment is needless.

Another best avoided is, "Am I the only woman you ever loved?" If, as is most probable, you are not, the wretched man for the sake of peace will probably—well, prevaricate. And if you really are, then, for pity's sake, let him keep the knowledge of such a calamity to himself.

Even the meekest of men object to being catechized as to their doings, asked where they are going and where they have been.

If you have so treated a man that he knows your interest in his concerns springs from real love and that absence of interrogation means not indifference, but complete trust, he will probably tell you all his affairs, but an oyster is a communicative beast compared to a man who finds his wife inquisitive.

A ridiculous question to ask a busy

A Smart Turban For the Spring.



IN BLACK AND WHITE COLORINGS

SO practical and becoming is the turban that women will not let Mme. La Mode strike it off her list of styles, consequently we have it among the spring millinery. The natty little turban illustrated is of Panama straw faced with black velvet. Around the crown is draped a black and white checked sash, which is tied in a rather large pump bow at the left side.

men on his return from his day's work is, "Have you missed me, dear?" Of course he has not. He has had lots of other things to do. Still, it is well to remember that fads are of eccentric kinds and that no two men are alike. So if the particular man whom you wish to hold forever likes being questioned then, as Kipling says, "call it cheek, call it insolence, call it anything you like, but ask."

But be very careful before you begin that he really does like it, for "earth holds no balm for mistakes."

TO PREVENT CLOTHES FROM FADING.

When washing colored shirt waists too much care cannot be taken to guard against fading. It is well to know that a little alum used in rinsing water will prevent green wash fabrics from fading. A handful of salt in the rinsing water will set blue, and ox gall is good to use for gray and brown. For washing tan and brown linen lay water made by pouring boiling water over hay is an excellent preventive against fading.

Few housewives knew that a tablespoonful of black pepper stirred into the first suds in which cottons are washed will prevent the colors from running. Five cents' worth of crystals of sugar of lead, which is poisonous, dissolved in a pailful of water establishes the tones of pinks, blues and lavenders. The garments should stay in the sugar of lead water half an hour before going to the tub. Of course it is necessary to hang the garments out of the sun, and it is safest to dry any delicate colors in the house.

Vinegar is useful in reviving colors, a tablespoonful of common vinegar to each quart of rinsing water. Saturate the articles in this solution, wring tightly and then dry quickly. If the color has been taken out of silks by fruit stains ammonia will restore the tone.

A NECKTIE HOLDER.

A convenient and stylish holder for stocks and string ties, so much worn with shirtwaists, is made from a strip of suede or glazed leather thirty inches wide with one pointed end.

The case may be lined with a contrasting color or left unlined, as preferred. It is bound with inch wide ribbon to match, and a length of the ribbon is fastened to the point.

On the inside of the case, two inches from each end, is a band of colored silk elastic fastened to the case at intervals of four inches. The stocks and ties are slipped under these bands and can be easily kept smooth on long trips if the case is not rolled too tightly.

IT COMES FROM PARIS.

Quite the newest dining fad in Paris is to have everything of the very simplest. Four simple but, of course, exquisitely served dishes take the place of the usual long dinner, and the table decoration consists of a crystal or cut glass bowl of violets. The effect is charming.

CHAT ON SUMMER STYLES

New Cotton Materials Rival Those of Silk In Beauty.

IN a recent fashion talk the following very pertinent paragraph appeared: "No woman can hope to be well dressed if she does not bring an analytical mind to her clothes and a retrospective one as well. No matter how simply a woman dresses, if she is well turned out you will find her upon intimate acquaintance a woman of settled convictions and wide knowledge about clothes for herself. She is not so specially able to talk about this new style or that epoch in clothes or the origin of fashion, but she is perfectly capable of telling you what her particular style is."

Now, in the spring, when purchasing one's gowns, it will be well to bear this advice in mind, for there are many features in the new modes suitable for the woman who studies herself. Avoid all kinds of clothes that are not becoming to you and your wardrobe is sure to be a successful one. It is high time to place orders with your tailor for spring walking suits, and if you want to be up in the front rank of fashion you will select as the material for one of these costumes a black silk and wool satin which is fifty-four inches wide and costs \$2.95 a yard, but five yards are sufficient for a suit, which brings the price of the satin to a small fraction less than \$15.

Many women, especially those with overplump figures, do not fancy satin as a dress fabric, declaring that the shiny surface accentuates their too, too solid flesh, but in the silk and wool satin this objection does not hold good. There is only a slight luster, and that is not objectionable.

Mannish mixtures this season are particularly good style, and in these worsteds are to be found all the new

spring shades in light and heavy weights. Then there are vigorous suitings in tan and gray colorings that are mighty attractive and charming homespun in gray boucle effect at very reasonable prices. The Scotch suitings are, of course, imported and therefore a little more expensive than the domestic materials, but very smart suitings in this class are to be had for \$2.25 a yard.

Black and white checked effects are very much in evidence among the new goods, and they range in price from 35 cents up. That the magpie effects are just as fashionable as ever goes without saying when I tell you that there are fifty (just think of it!) different striped designs in black and white tones. There are, too, delightful spring showings in broadcloth, collennies, armures and cashmeres. For dressy wear the season's color is Helen pink, named in honor of the favorite nuance of the president's daughter just as Alice Roosevelt set the pace for the popularity of Alice blue. The shade affected by the debutante of the White House is a rather dull shade of old rose, with high lights of a pinkish hue. In the thin summer materials the Helen pink color is charming. And the frocks of these diaphanous fabrics are going to be more alluring than ever next summer. Marguerettes, both in silk and cotton weaves, are favorite

materials, the new bordered effects being wonderfully beautiful. Silk and wool velvies are still favorite fabrics both for suits and gowns, and there is a fascinating new texture, brouette mistrell, that comes in all colors. Black mistrell made over a pale cerise foundation is the last cry and is not expensive, being only \$1.75 a yard and measuring forty-five inches in width.

One hardly knows where to begin a description of the new cotton materials which this season rival silks in beauty and popularity. For example, there is a half silk toulard that washes well to be bought for 35 cents a yard and silk and cotton pongees and a jacquard pongee at the same price. There are cotton velvies with satin stripes at less than 60 cents a yard and an immense variety in English printed velvies, together with French tissues in empire stripes. Indeed, one really wants a frock from each of these charming materials.

In robe dresses one may find exquisite ready to put on models in baby and heavy Irish lace from \$15 to \$20 and a delectable embroidered and braided robe of black chiffon cloth to mount over a satin slip. Then if you would like to purchase a half made frock look at the bordered balliste flouncings, with plain material to match, and narrow waist embroidery. A handsome cream batiste embroidered in delft blue is marked \$10 and is cheap at the price.

It is well to know that inexpensive little gumpes are to be had ready made in cream, white and black of fine brussels net. They are lined with mousseline de sole, and cuffs of the same material as the gumpes may be bought if desired.

ALL ABOUT THE HOUSE

Most people throw away boot polish when it gets hard through the lid being left off. Don't do this, but save the polish and place it on top of the stove, where it can gradually soften.

A COOKING HINT.

Whenever you are baking cookies pin a piece of muslin over the bread board, stretching it tight. Flour the muslin well, and you can roll the dough as soft and thin as you please. A piece of muslin around the rolling pin is still another improvement.

THE MILK BOTTLE.

Milk bottles are washed most easily if filled with cold water and emptied. Later rinse with soapuds and then with scalding water.

FOR WASHING SILVER.

For washing silver put a half teaspoonful of ammonia into hot suds. Wash quickly, using a small brush. Rinse in hot water and dry with a clean linen towel, then rub dry with

a chamolis skin. Washed in this manner silver becomes brilliant and requires no polishing with any of the powders or whiting usually employed.

THE PROPER SIZED BROOM.

A heavy broom should be chosen for thorough sweeping in preference to a light one, for the weight adds to the process. To test a new broom press the edge against the floor. If the straws bristle out and bend the broom is a poor one and should be rejected. They should remain in a firm, solid mass.

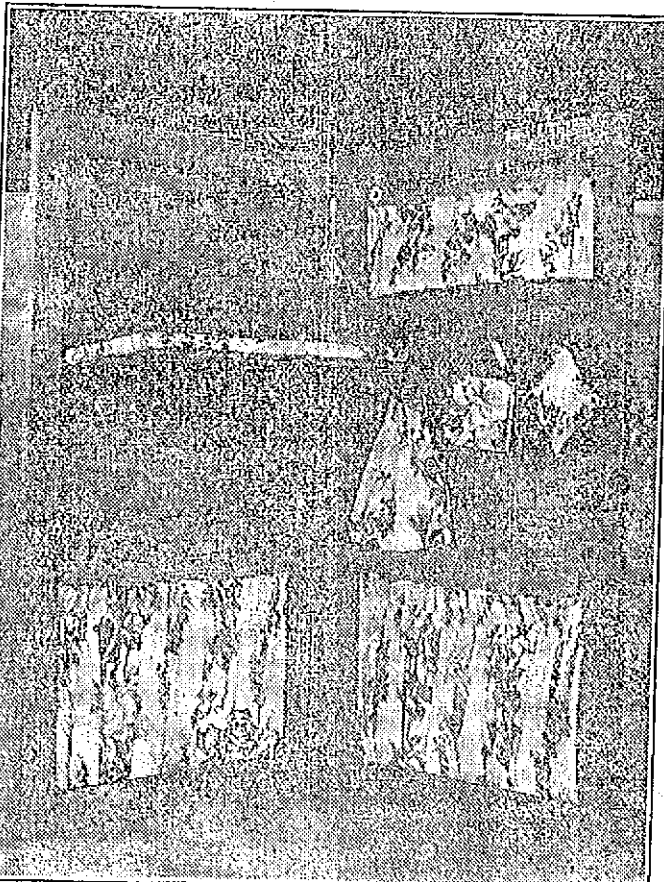
TO REMOVE GREASE.

To remove grease from garments dissolve a teaspoonful of salt in four tablespoonfuls of alcohol, shake well and apply with a sponge.

FOR OSTRICH FEATHERS.

Sprinkle salt over hot coals and shake your damp uncured ostrich feathers over the fumes and the tendrils will curl up smartly.

THE COLLAPSIBLE SEWING STAND



THE LATEST IN SEWING OUTFITS.

THERE are many novelties in sewing boxes and stands on the market, but perhaps the most complete and handy is the one illustrated. It consists of two sections and is made of heavy green crash tacked over a frame measuring five and a half by two and a half feet. On the inside are little brass hooks and a collapsible shelf covered with cretonne, and two large pockets at the bases are also of the cretonne. A small pocket at the top for odds and ends of sewing is convenient, and then the button bag, the needlebook and pin cushion are all made of the dainty red and green toned cretonne.

DEVELOPING A CHARACTER

The late Frances E. Willard said: "There are so many kinds of beauty after which one may strive that we are bewildered by the bare attempt to remember them. There is beauty of manner, of utterance, of achievement, of reputation, of character. Any one of these outweighs beauty of person, even in the scales of society, to say nothing of celestial values."

"Cultivate most of the kind that lasts longest. The beautiful face with nothing back of it lacks the staying qualities that are necessary to those who would be winners in the race of life. It is not the first milepost, but the last, that tells the story; not the outward bound steed, but the one on the home stretch, that we hail as victor."

Therefore it will pay every woman who has her appearance at heart to give heed to the effect of the mind upon the body. She should cultivate those charms of mind which reflect themselves in charms of person, for that there is such a connection between mind and body there is no question. An ill natured frame of mind shows plainly in the face and is not beautiful. On the other hand, a sunny and bright disposition lends a charm to the plain-

Don'ts For Stout Women

The stout woman must not "slump." Her one safeguard is an erect carriage—head up, chest up, abdomen in. Tuck your back off the fleshy back.

Nor must she permit herself to relax. Negligees, comfort and down at the heel attire are not for her. She should keep trim though she nearly passes away with heat and discomfort. She must watch her manners, particularly her table manners. She may not take liberties with her elbows, lop over the table or eat carelessly. Daintiness is essential if she would not be repulsive.

The stout woman must train herself to light walking. Nothing shows her weight like dragging her feet and clumping heavily.

She must discriminate in styles. Put her in a bicorne hat, peasant waist and chandelier colorings and she need not be surprised at criticism.

She must learn to take life quietly. Excitement, rushing and temper are conducive to apoplexy and do not improve looks.

She must be dignified. It moves the onlooker to tears to see the stout woman full of airs and graces and kitchen coyness. Her dignity should not, however, interfere with jollity. The hearty laugh is a hall mark of avoirdupois.

Beyond all she must wear good corsets and learn how to put them on. It makes just the difference between mountains of flesh and a trim stylish figure a trifle too large, but not repellent.

THE SPOILT KINDNESS OF SOME WOMEN.

Do you know the woman who always spoils a kind action by surrounding it with a sort of charity atmosphere?

"I took poor Miss A. to a matinee the other day. She so seldom gets a treat." Or "I think I'll ask Mrs. B. to my party. She knows so few nice people that it will be quite a change for her."

This sort of "kind lady" will call on a newcomer who has been rather cold shouldered by other residents of the town, but the whole thing is spoiled by her manner of condolence.

Sometimes it is very difficult for this type of woman to cure herself of her patronizing manner, because most probably she is not aware that she is in the least patronizing, but labors under the delusion that she is simply "gracious."

It is not a good plan to allow oneself to get into this frame of mind, for aside from the fact that it is rather unkind to be always supposing that other people are inferior the woman who adopts the semi-patronizing attitude very often ends by making herself ridiculous.

LAUNDERING EMBROIDERY.

Mercerized cottons, especially the white, wash better than embroidery silks. No matter how good a silk you buy it will not stand having soap rubbed upon it. Hot water is equally injurious. So is ironing with a too hot iron.

Make a thick suds of warm water and pure soap and rinse the pieces to be washed. Squeeze through the hands and do not rub on a board.

Rinse in clear water of the same temperature as the first. Squeeze out as much as possible of the moisture with the hands and do not rub on a board. Pull into shape and roll in a thick towel to absorb the excess water. Then take a smooth piece of damp muslin and place it over the back of the embroidery and do the ironing through that.

AN ECONOMY TIP.

It is well to have your sheets and tablecloths folded widthways occasionally instead of lengthways, as this prevents the fold from always coming in the same place and thus causing that place to wear out first.

THE HEIGHT OF WAIST HARMONY



CYCLAMEN VELVET AND SILVER LACE COMBINED.

ARTISTIC and beautiful is the combination of colors used in this imported evening waist. Silver lace with just a touch of cyclamen colored velvet—could a color scheme be more charming? The foundation of the model is of the coarse silver net, and the new draped bodice is of heavier silver lace. The short kimono sleeves are edged with silver fringe. A heavy silver cord ornament studded with rhinestones, through which the velvet is drawn, was a happy inspiration of the dress artist. A new French feature is the side sash of silver net edged with ball fringe.

THE THIMBLE BICENTENNIAL

Who of all the women busy over their sewing know that the thimble, or, as our German cousins picturesquely call it, the "finger hat," might, if so minded, have celebrated its two hundredth birthday last year? For it was just about 200 years ago that a London goldsmith named Trotting made and presented to the lady of his heart on her birthday a thimble of gold beautifully ornamented and chased, accompanied by a note which introduced the little contraption as a "token of my humble esteem which shall protect those delicate, fair and industrious fingers from prick and wear of needle thread."

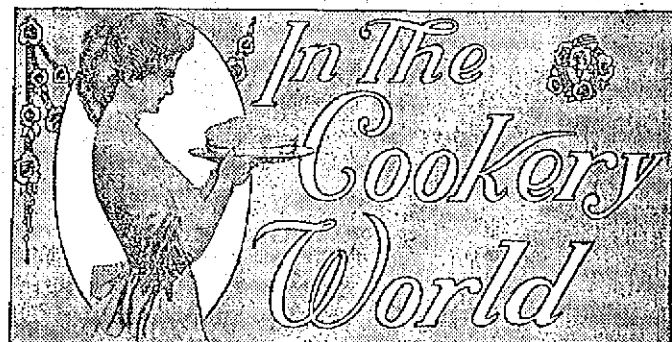
Until that day sewing had been a real task, painful and laborious, and attended with occasional bloodshed. The novel birthday gift was consequently much appreciated and so admired by the recipient's friends that

the goldsmith was kept busy and was made independently rich by the demand for more thimbles. The new implements made in imitation of his were of iron, silver or gold elaborately ornamented and often jeweled. They were worn, as indeed their name implies, on the thumb.

HINTS ON CARVING.

To carve a fowl remove a slice of the breast on either side of the breast bone; next cut off the wings, then the legs, cutting through the joint at the back and separating the drumstick from the remainder of the leg, and finally divide the back in two.

All game birds are carved practically in the same way as a chicken, only remember that with a woodcock some people consider the back the best part, others the thigh.



DESSERTS MADE FROM CANNED FRUITS

Peach delight is a delicious dessert that can be made with canned peaches. Put in a glass dish alternate layers of the halves of canned peaches with the hollow side down, topped with halves of macaroons. State lady fingers or sponge cake cut in small pieces are nicely mixed with the macaroons. When the dish is filled pour over the contents the peach sirup and set in a cold place. When ready to serve heap whipped cream or meringue on top, sprinkled with a few chopped nuts.

Pineapple Pudding Cold.—Put in a double boiler a quart of milk to scald. Then mix together a half cupful of cornstarch and quarter cupful of granulated sugar, with a pinch of salt. Stir in the hot milk, mixing thoroughly. Return to the double boiler and stir and cook until the mixture is the consistency of a creamy custard. Let this cook uncovered for a quarter of an hour, stirring every now and then. Remove from the fire, cool slightly, add a teaspoonful of vanilla and the whites of three eggs and half a can of grated or chopped pineapple. Turn in a mold and set away to harden. Serve with rich cream.

Apricot soufflé is made by separating the apricots from the sirup. Cut the fruit in quarters and arrange closely together in the bottom of a well but-

tered baking dish. Pour over the fruit a sauce made in this way: Cream together three tablespoonfuls of butter and a quarter of a cupful of granulated sugar. Pour the hot milk over this, mix well, then pour over the flour and butter, stirring until all the ingredients are thoroughly mixed. When cool fold in the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff, dry foam. Bake in a slow oven for about thirty-five minutes and serve immediately.

Pear croquettes are mighty good served with chocolate sauce. For this dessert drain a can of Bartlett pears very dry. Dip them in fine dry cake or brown breadcrumbs, then in beaten egg and again in crumbs and fry them quickly in deep hot fat. Serve hot with the sauce. For the sauce take a cupful of pear juice and put in a saucepan with half a cupful of sugar, a tablespoonful of cornstarch, two squares of unsweetened chocolate and a small piece of butter. Add a pinch of salt and cook about ten minutes.

Orange, lemon or pineapple juice stiffened with gelatin is soon converted into jelled fruit. It may be molded into a large mold or individual molds and the fruit and chopped nuts mixed with the jelly as it begins to harden. A most attractive dessert may be made in this way, using different kinds of fruit.

ALDERMAN BURNS

Sun Classified Ads. Work While You Sleep

Is in Favor of a Municipal Lighting Plant

Fountains, not of the soda water variety, were demonstrated at the city hall last night for the benefit of the committee on lands and buildings. It was the first meeting of that committee and representatives of four makes of bubble fountains were present in sort of competitive demonstration. The fountains are wanted for the schools.

Alderman Burns spoke in favor of a municipal lighting plant for city hall, Memorial building and adjacent buildings. He said he believed there was a chance to cut the expense of electricity for municipal buildings in half.

After the fountain or bubble demonstration and their merits or demerits discussed, Mr. Whitely of the committee suggested that the different makes be attached in some school and that the children, knowing nothing about them, be allowed to use them. Acting on this suggestion the selection of a bubble was deferred until a practical demonstration in some school could be made.

In presenting the matter of a municipal lighting plant, Mr. Burns said:

"I want to suggest the advisability of installing in city hall a plant which will not only furnish electricity for this building and the Memorial building but a number of other buildings located in its vicinity. The purpose of my suggestion is to cut down the heavy expense entailed under the present system. From information I have received, the city of Lowell has a chance to effect a great saving in some of its electrical bills."

"The water department not long ago installed in its Centralville station a plant to furnish its own current, and

its bills were immediately cut in halves, not including, of course, the cost of installation. The cost was comparatively small because the old power plant was able to provide steam for the generators in city hall. I am informed, the present heating plant with little or no change, will be sufficient to furnish power for the generators.

At the High school and High school annex, the annual cost at present for electric lighting and power is about \$1500, and this could undoubtedly be cut in halves. Another thing to be considered is the possible location of a public hall near the city hall. Recently a number of people favored such a location.

"All things considered, there is a chance to cut the expense of electricity in halves for the buildings I have named, and I feel that the interests of the city require that we take that chance. At this rate of saving it would be a short time before the plant would pay for itself, and gradually its scope could be broadened to get into the city hall."

"I would ask that you give this matter your attention as soon as convenient. An investigation by experts will cost the city nothing, as I understand any company would be willing to conduct one and report all details of cost."

Mr. Burns moved that the inspector of buildings be instructed to get in touch with some expert who would figure the probable cost of installing a lighting plant in the basement of city hall and to light city hall, Memorial building, the High school, annex, Green school, etc. It was so voted.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A well attended business meeting, which was followed by an excellent entertainment, was held in Odd Fellows hall in Middlesex street last night, by the members of Passaconaway tribe of Red Men. Sachem Fred O. Marshall presided and one candidate for the warriors' degree was favorably acted upon.

The sachem reported on sick members stating that they were improving as well as could be expected. The scribes reported that the tribe was in a good financial condition. At the next meeting the warriors' degree will be exemplified on one adopted member. At the close of the meeting the members retired to the banquet hall, where 250 members and guests were present and ample justice was done to the menu provided. At the conclusion of supper the calumets were lighted and all enjoyed a first class entertainment of songs, recitations, athletic exhibitions and musical selections. The entertainment committee intends to give a series of supper and entertainment monthly so as to increase the interest of the order. The entertainment committee consists of D. G. Hurd, chairman; C. H. Kittredge, treasurer; J. H. Hickey, secretary, and G. A. Frost and George Houle.

Sons of Veterans
The members of Admiral Farragut camp met in Post 185 hall last night and transacted considerable business of importance. Two applications for

membership were received and one new member admitted. Resolutions on the death of Herbert Pisk, who died Feb. 26, were passed. The camp voted to have the staff up from Boston, April 7. After the meeting there was a supper and speeches by the members and G. A. R. members.

Order of Protection
The regular meeting of Echo lodge, N. E. O. P., was held last night and considerable business was transacted. One member was initiated and several propositions received. A past wardens badge was presented Brother Blackford for faithful service as a trustee for the past 13 years. Sister Bennett was also awarded one for her service. Sister Bennett and Sister McLaren will attend the grand lodge meeting in Boston, March 8, as delegates from the Lowell lodge.

Rebekah Lodge
The annual supper of the Centralville Rebekah lodge, No. 137, degree staff, was held in the banquet hall in Odd Fellows hall, Friday evening, March 3, and was presided over by Noble Grand Florence M. Puffer and Vice Grand William H. Perry. Thirty-two members were present. There were piano solos by Miss Leona Small. Entertainment and general dancing followed.

Supt. Fiske Resigns
LAWRENCE KUS, March 4.—H. H. Fiske, superintendent of Haskell institution, an Indian school, yesterday tendered his resignation, to take effect April 1. It was accepted. Mr. Fiske will go to Boston to engage in business.

FOR SALE

GOVERNMENT PAPER PRIZE—The "Homesteader," official 1911, published January, April, July and October, describes every acre in every county, all public land states, contains townships and section plats, rainfall maps, 250 acre homestead law; how and where to get government land without living on it, information regarding national forests and Indian reservation openings; subscription, 25 cents the year. Address Homesteader Pub. Co., St. Paul, Minn. Mention this paper.

HAKERS' PORTABLE OVEN for sale; almost new; price reasonable. Address T. N. S. Sun Office.

TWO PIGS for sale. Will be sold cheap if taken at once. Call after 6 p. m. or Saturday afternoon. 12 School st., Navy Yard.

75 TUBULETS, Barred Plymouth Rock, for sale; all laying 42¢ for the lot; choice stock. Apply 519 Lawrence st.

GROCEARY AND CONFECTIONERY STORE for sale, located at 445 Broadway. Doing good business. Will sell at bargain. Owner leaving city.

PINE UP-TO-DATE CONFECTIONERY STORE for sale, with cigars, cigarettes and tobacco; ground coffee; fruit; complete with new innovation soda fountain and new silent salesman; show cases and a fresh stock of goods; drawing from theatres and dance halls and big transient trade. Owner going into the wholesale line. Price will be made if sold at once. Don't lose any time. No brokers. Write P. C. J., Sun Office.

EGGS FOR HATCHING for sale; White Plymouth Rocks and Brown Leghorns. From selected pens. R. S. Linsley, and South Lowell car line.

TWO FOOT TABLES, standard size, for sale; also show cases for rent. Inquire Marshall's hall, West Centralville.

GOOD COVERED WAGON for sale; locked front and back; in good running condition; will sell cheap. Inquire at 165 Smith st.

BOARDING AND LODGING HOUSE for sale; will be sacrificed if taken now. Inquire of R. A. Flynn, 194 Central st.

CANARY BIRDS for sale; males and females. 102 Cross st.

HORSES FOR SALE, from \$80 to \$150 pounds. A. B. Humphrey, 657 Gorham st., Tel. 513-1.

GOOD MEADOW in burn, for sale. E. K. Delaney, West Billerica, Mass. Tel. 23-6.

LOST AND FOUND

LARGE COON CAT lost. Please return to C. M. Young, 412 Stevens st. and get reward.

HOSTON BULL DOG lost; 1 year old, right side of face blind, left side white; white breast and arched back. Reward if returned to 25 A st.

LADY'S GOLD RING found in Saturday's market. Owner can have by proving property and paying for this ad. at the market. See Mr. Donovan.

POCKETBOOK containing a small sum of money and a check for \$100.00, on Shattuck, Middlesex, Central or Merrimack sts. Reward by writing L. Sun Office.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE
HOUSE OF TWO TENEMENTS, of 5 rooms, and one of three rooms; store, furniture, organ, piano and 24 horses in South Lowell for sale. Inquire of Frank Blodgett, 151 Woburn st., South Lowell.

TIME TENEMENTS and store for sale; rents \$300 per month; 24 horses in cottages, all prices, \$500 to \$1500; 6-rooms each, two-tenements, \$1500 to \$2500; modern cottages, \$1500 to \$3000; modern two-tenements, \$2500 to \$5000. All kinds of business chances. What do you for sale? Centralville is the place for you. See R. L. Vance, 55 Third st., Phone 1012-2.

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The Land is Located in St.
Margaret's Parish—Great Activ-
ity in Building Line in Lowell

Quite a number of new buildings will
be built in St. Margaret's parish this
coming spring, for Councilman Ar-
thur Genest has purchased a large
tract of land in that district and he in-
tends building a number of cottages
and double houses.

This tract of land was formerly
known as the Parker estate. It extends
from Chelmsford street to Stevens
street, and contains 36 lots. Work will
be begun Monday on two double
houses, and when the latter are com-
pleted two more will be started and so
on till all the lots have been covered.
The tract which covers about five
acres of land is situated in a fine
place within a stone's throw of St.
Margaret's church and is an ideal spot
for a home. The purchase of this tract
of land was a good move on the part
of Councilman Genest, for it will boom

business in the new parish, especially
in the real estate line.

Contractor Sawyer Busy

Contractor Avila Sawyer, is also
quite busy in building new houses. He
will start work soon on two buildings,
one in Dracut street and the other in
Mt. Hope st. The home he is building
for himself at 135 White street is near-
ly completed, and will be ready for use
in a few days.

Mr. Sawyer has his eye on a certain
lot of land in the Highlands which he
intends to purchase in the near future,
and if he does, a number of fine build-
ings will be put up in that vicinity.

Mr. Napoleon Desmarais is building
a six-tenement house at the corner of
Island street and Lakeview avenue.

Other New Buildings

In the early spring Mr. Adolphe Bou-
chard of Aiken avenue is to start work
on a three-tenement building near the
corner of Ludlum street and Aiken
avenue. The edifice will be made of
block cement, and the contract has
been awarded to Contractor Zed
Houde, who makes a specialty of this
kind of work.

Building permits granted since the
last were published include the fol-
lowing: Permit to Frank Ricard for
the erection of a three-story building,
53 by 55 feet, corner of Austin and
Mundy streets. The building will con-
tain three stories and one tenement on
the first floor. There will be 17 rooms
on the second and third floors to be
let for offices and apartments. The
estimated cost is \$6000.

Horace Cinq Mars has been granted
a permit to build a two-family dwell-
ing, 22 by 45 feet, two and one-half
stories, in Gershon avenue. The esti-
mated cost is \$2000.

A permit to make alterations in the
building 64-66 Middlesex street has
been granted to Rodger Bryar. The
alterations will include the changing
of a stairway from the middle to the
side of the building and changes in the
store front. The estimated cost of
the changes and alterations is \$1000.

Nils P. Christmann has been grant-
ed a permit to build an addition to his
house, 119-121 Andrews street. This
addition will be 6 by 12 feet and will
be used for a storage house. It will
be two stories high.

The Park Commission

The park commission met last night
and approved monthly bills. The
meeting was a very brief one.

FUNERALS

McFADDEN—The funeral of Mary
Ellen McFadden took place this after-
noon at four o'clock from the home of
her parents, 56 Agawan street. The
interment was in the Catholic cem-
tery. Higgins Brothers, undertakers,
in charge.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. J. Foster has given up his resi-
dence in Lowell and has gone to
Boston to make his home with his son
in that city.

Miss Margaret Conway, the little
daughter of Thomas Conway, ladder-
man of truck 4, will observe her next
birthday, which comes on April 6 by
entertaining a number of her friends
at her home. Her little friends are
looking forward with delight to the af-
fair.

Miss Madge Nutting of Sixth
street has just returned to her home
after a visit among friends at Concord.
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Mr. F. Gordon of Centralville has
been entertaining his daughter, for-
merly of Lowell now of Arlington, for
a few days.

THE PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION

WASHINGTON, March 4.—In a proclamation issued this afternoon, President Taft ordered an extra session of congress to convene on April 4. The proclamation follows:

"Whereas, by this special message, dated Jan. 26, 1911, there was transmitted to the senate and house of representatives an agreement between the department of state and the Canadian government in regard to reciprocal tariff legislation, together with an earnest recommendation, that the necessary legislation be promptly adopted.

"And, whereas, a bill to carry into effect said agreement has passed the house of representatives but has failed to reach a vote in the senate;

"And, whereas, the agreement stipulates not only that the president of the United States will communicate to congress the conclusions now reached and recommend the adoption of such legislation as may be necessary on the part of the United States to give effect to the proposed agreement but also that the government of the two countries will use their utmost efforts to bring about such changes by concurrent legislation at Washington and at Ottawa.

Now, therefore, I, William H. Taft, president of the United States of America by virtue of the power given me by the constitution, do hereby proclaim and declare that an extraordinary occasion require the convening of both houses of the congress of the United States at the executive chambers in the city of Washington on the fourth of April, 1911, at 12 o'clock noon, to the end that they may consider and determine whether the congress shall by the necessary legislation make operative the agreement.

"All persons entitled to act as members of the 62nd congress are required to take notice of this proclamation.

"Given under my hand and the seal of the United States at Washington; the second day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, nine hundred and eleven, and of the independence of the United States, the one hundred and thirty-fifth.

(Signed)

"By the president, P. C. Knox, secretary of state."

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lited. Tel. 915.

THEATRE CLOSED

By Order of the Chief of
Police

WOONSOCKET, R. I., March 4.—
The chief of police, acting on com-
plaints made to Mayor Mullen and others
regarding talk and actions on the
stage of the Family theatre, a small
vaudeville playhouse on Social street,
ordered Frank P. O'Donnell of this
city, lessee of the place, which has been
run by Boston parties, to close the the-
atre. This was done.

Lynch's theatre, another Woonsocket
vaudeville and picture theatre, will be
closed tonight by the proprietor, E. W.
Lynch of Worcester, pending improve-
ments in the house and changes in the
managerial staff.

DON'T
WATCH and WAIT

For your Coke or Coal to run out.
Every morning you see it's almost
gone and you put off replenishing
hoping to pull through till warm
weather. It won't last and you
know it. March and April are the
dangerous months to be without
heat. A small load of Coke will just
do the trick at this season. If one
has the tail end of a winter's coal
supply in his bin—As much more
Coke mixed with it would in many
cases carry the man through till
warm weather.

Lowell Gas Light Co.

If you want help at home or in your
business, try The Sun "Want" column

WHAT CONGRESS DID

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Out of the smoke of the closing battle in congress emerge these results of larger interest:

POSITIVE RESULTS

Provision for \$3,000,000 for the fortification of the Panama canal.
Provision for two new battleships.
Recodification of the judicial code—regarded as most important for the
amelioration of the law's delays.
Creation of forest preserves in the southern Appalachian and White
mountains.
Provision for the construction of embassy and legation buildings
abroad.
Requiring the inspection of locomotive boilers.

NEGATIVE RESULTS

Failure of the Canadian reciprocity agreement and consequent cer-
tainty of an extra session.
Failure of the permanent tariff board bill, which passed the senate but
was killed by a filibuster in the house.
Failure of the resolution to add to states, Arizona and New Mexico,
killed by a filibuster in the senate.
Failure of the project to increase the rate of postage on the adver-
tising sections of the large magazines, but a commission provided for to
investigate the subject.
Failure of the resolution providing for direct election of senators.
Failure of the general old age pension bill.
Failure to act on Ballinger-Pinchot investigation report.
Failure to enact the ocean mail subsidy, passed by the senate.

TO PRESS SUITS

Entered Against 34
Electric Companies

CLEVELAND, O., March 4.—U. S.
Dist. Atty. Day, who yesterday filed
suit against the General Electric Co.
of Schenectady, New York and 33 other
companies, charging them with a con-
spiracy in restraint of trade in con-
nection with the manufacture and sale
of electric lamps today announced that
the government prosecution would be
pushed as quickly as possible.

He will file an auxiliary petition in
the circuit court Monday, asking for
an order for process service on all non-
resident defendants named in the suit.

YALE FRESHMAN SCHEDULE
NEW HAVEN, March 4.—The Yale
freshman football schedule for next
fall shows that Palfrey school has
been added to the list of home games
and Williston academy at Williston re-
places Groton school. The other dates
include these:

October 21, Phillips-Exeter at New
Haven; November 4, Phillips-Andover
at Andover; November 11, Princeton,
1915, at New Haven; November 18,
Harvard, 1915, at Cambridge.

NOTICE, Div. 11, A.O.H.

There will be a special meeting of
Div. 11, Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m., at
for attending the funeral of our de-
ceased brother, Michael Leonard, 10
Crosby street. Per order,
M. J. MARKHAM, President,
W. M. NELSON, Fin. Secretary.

Time to Buy
"Lucky Curve," \$1.50 fountain pen-
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Irish Poplin Fabric, Finish Pound
paper, Special Sale Price, 10¢ per lb.
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mer goods look made up and
to show you what is what in
fitting lines. Please see them
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A. O. H.
Attention!

There will be a special meeting of
all the divisions on Sunday, March 5,
at 2.30 p. m. Very Important.

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Sewing requires Intelli-
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wheels does not.

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6 O'CLOCK EXCITING SCENES

At the Closing Session of Lower Branch of Congress

The Democrats Started a Well Organized Filibuster—Speaker Cannon Ordered Out the Sergt. at Arms With His Mace

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The youngest member of the house of representatives in appearance, his step the sprightliest, his eye the clearest—Joseph G. Cannon of Danville, Ill., ushered in his last day as speaker of the republican house with a ringing declaration of his vigor and alertness. All night the speaker had ranged through the house chamber and the lobby, sitting for a time at the clerk's desk to sign bills that had been passed; poking fun at members who had gone to sleep on the lounges and in chairs and taking an occasional turn at sitting in his place in the speaker's chair. He was there a little after 4 o'clock when Chairman Tawney of the appropriations committee arose to ask for a further conference on the sundry civil appropriation bill.

"Mr. Speaker," began Mr. Tawney. "The speaker's asleep," interrupted some member on the floor, aside to Tawney.

"The figure in the speaker's chair," shouted the speaker, "is not asleep," he shouted. "The speaker is very much awake," and his gavel struck the desk with an emphasis that brought men tumbling out of the lounges in the cloak-rooms.

It was a night of some business, much talk and general forebodings among the members of the house. The storm of oratory turned loose an hour or two before 12 spent itself by 1 o'clock, when Rep. Kane of Illinois went to turn his oratorical shafts upon the lawbreaking trusts of the country, and then delivered an eloquent memorial to the Irish patriot, Robert Emmet. Some one in the back of the house started the strains of the "Swanee river" and a few moments later the members were harkening back to school days and endeavoring to remember the words and pick out the parts of "Aunt Dinah's Quilting Party," "Annie Laurie," "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground," and other old favorites. Vice President Sherman wandered down the main aisle of the house when the singing was at its height. His appearance among his old associates was a signal for a rush from all parts of the hall.

"A message from the senate," shouted Rep. Olcott of New York. "Speech, Sherry," came from various quarters.

When the vice president showed no intention of transgressing the already badly broken rules of the house, an enthusiastic voice struck up, "He's a jolly good fellow," and the crowd sang it with steady voices.

Actual business was at a standstill till 8 o'clock.

Rep. Livingston of Georgia, defeated for reelection, was called forth as one of the few remaining congressional soldiers in congress and bade farewell to his associates after twenty years of service in the house.

Rep. Cole of Ohio, likewise a defeated member, was hailed before the speaker in the full glory of evening clothes and protested that the reason for his defeat was that every schoolboy in Ohio begins life with the idea of coming to congress.

At 3 o'clock the house took up the postoffice appropriation bill reported from the conference committee and from that time business held attention until 3:55 when a recess was taken.

Speaker Cannon held his ground throughout the night, practically without a rest.

A story became current early in the morning, after Vice President Sherman's visit to the house, that Speaker Cannon had made a bet of 5 to 1 with

a fellow member that there would be no extra session.

"Well, there seems to be all sorts of rumors about tonight," said the speaker later, when members asked for information.

With two hours away the house was in a legislative snarl at 10 o'clock today, brought about by a democratic filibuster against the tariff board bill as it came from the senate. A roll call was in progress at that hour on the adoption of the rule for the consideration of the measure.

The fight over the tariff board bill was given up at 11:20 a. m. when the friends of the bill were asked to join in waiving the rule. This eliminated the measure.

The crowning move of the house democrats against the permanent tariff board bill was sprung by starting a well-organized filibuster to defeat the bill as soon as that measure, as amended by the senate, was offered on the floor. The bill was reported to the house at 8:50 o'clock this morning, having been rushed over from the senate. Republican Leader Payne asked unanimous consent for the house to agree to the senate amendments on the bill.

Mr. Foster of Illinois, a democrat, objected. Mr. Datzell, chairman of the rules committee, then reported the special so-called force rule, cutting debate on the bill and providing that immediately upon adoption of the rule the previous question be ordered on the bill and amendments. Mr. Foster retorted by making the point of no quorum.

The speaker ignored the move.

Mr. Fitzgerald of New York then took charge of the filibuster. He made a point of no quorum and Mr. Datzell countered by moving a call of the house. The democrats endeavored to absent themselves from the house chamber so as to prolong the proceedings. Mr. Fitzgerald called for a division on Mr. Datzell's motion and a division was ordered, 100 to 81. Mr. Fitzgerald then demanded the ayes and noes on the motion for a call of the house. The democrats continued demanding the call. Republican Leader Payne protested and demanded that the names of those leaving the chamber be recorded. The call of the house was refused, 53 to 121. On a division the motion of Mr. Fitzgerald to recommit the tariff board bill to the ways and means committee was rejected, 140 to 175. The abandonment of the tariff board bill still left the turmoil in the house and the blockaded conference reports on appropriation bills were taken up. The house clock had been set back half an hour.

An exciting scene occurred in front of the speaker's desk when Mr. Johnson of Kentucky, a democrat, sought to have his name recorded and the speaker delayed recognition of him.

"I wish you were a younger man," shouted Mr. Johnson.

"I'll take no advantage of my age," retorted the speaker belligerently.

Another democratic member caught hold of Mr. Johnson's arm and turned him away while the house was cheering the speaker.

The speaker again ordered out the sergeant-at-arms with his mace when the democrats sought to recommit the general deficiency bill. The roll call on the tariff board bill as to whether the previous question should be ordered on that measure was then resumed.

The speaker pointed for order during the roll call and immediately ordered the sergeant-at-arms with the mace to clear the chamber of all members of the house of congress. All semblance of order was thrown to the winds by the democrats.

SHIP SUBSIDY BILL

Report of House Committee That Investigated Lobby Charges

WASHINGTON, March 4.—There is no lobby or use of improper influence either for or against ship subsidy legislation. So says the special committee of the house of representatives in its report of the investigation for which it was appointed a year ago. The report was presented to the house today by the chairman, J. Van Vleet of New York. Charges made in this respect which reflected upon members of congress are "wholly false," the report declares.

The committee finds that there have been widespread throughout the country statements that lobbies and corruption on the part of members of congress existed in favor of ship subsidy or against ship subsidy, and that the parties who made them, after being thoroughly questioned, have admitted that they had no information upon which to base such statements or publications, but

relied upon surmise, suspicion and rumor.

These are the formal conclusions of the committee:

"As to charges against members of congress:

"The committee finds that the charges contained in the statements set forth in the preamble to the resolution under which this committee was appointed, so far as the same reflect upon the honesty and integrity of Hon. Hovver Stearns, or any other member of the house, in their official capacity or of the membership generally, are wholly false.

"As to alleged existence or maintenance of a lobby:

"The committee also finds that there does not exist any lobby or lobbies in connection with the subject of ship subsidy legislation and that there are

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET				
Stocks	High	Low	Close	
Amal Copper	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2	
Am Car & Pa	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	
Am Col Oil	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	
Am Locomo	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	
Am Smelt & R	74 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2	
Am Smelt & R pf	105	104 1/2	105	
Am Sugar Rfn	117	117 1/2	117 1/2	
Anaconda	38	38	38	
Atchafalpa	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	
Balt & Ohio	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2	
Br Rep Trans	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2	
Canadian Pac	213 1/2	213 1/2	213 1/2	
Cent Leather pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	
Ches & Ohio	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	
Chi & Gt W	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	
Col Fuel	32	32	32	
Consol Gas	140	139 1/2	140	
Den & Rio G	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	
Den & R G pf	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	
Dls Secur Co	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	
Erie	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	
Erie 1st pf	48	48	48	
Erie 2d pf	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	
Gen Elec	117	117 1/2	117 1/2	
Gt North pf	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2	
Ill No Ore pf	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	
Illinois Cen	134	134	134	
Int Met Con	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	
Int Met pf	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2	
Int Paper	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	
Int Paper pf	49	49	49	
Is Pump Co	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	
Iowa Cent	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	
Iowa Cen pf	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	
Kan City So	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	
Kan & Texas	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	
Louis & Nash	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2	
Mexican Cen	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	
Missouri Pa	56	56	56	
Nat Lead	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	
N Y Central	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	
Nor & West	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2	
North Pac	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	
Oat & West	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	
Pennsylvania	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	
People's Gas	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2	
Reading	154 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2	
Rock Is	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	
Rock Is pf	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2	
St L & S Wn	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	
St Paul	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2	
So Pacific	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2	
Southern Ry	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	
Tenn Copper	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2	
Third Ave	35	35	35	
Union Pac	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	
Union Pac pf	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2	
U S Rub	42	42	42	
U S Steel	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	
U S Steel pf	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	
U S Steel ss	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	
Utah Copper	41	41	41	
Wabash R R	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	
Wab R R pf	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	
Westinghouse	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	

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STOCK MARKET

WAS. STEADY AT THE CLOSING

HOOR TODAY

There was a moderate rally at noon

—Many of the Early Gains Lost in

the Last Hour—Selling Resulted in

New Records

NEW YORK, March 4.—Opening

transactions on the stock exchange

this morning in a majority of cases

showed fairly good advances over last

night's close. Atch and Can. Pac. were

the strongest, with gains of a point

each. U. P. and New York Central

were up 1/2 and United States Steel and

Reading 3/4. Denver and Rio Grande

lost 1/2.

The market maintained its strength

during the first hour and increased the

opening gains slightly.

The market closed steady, with a

moderate rally in progress. Most of

the early gains were lost in the last

hour, concurrent with the news that

an extra session of congress was rather

sure to be called. The selling resulted

in some new records, with extreme

weakness in New York Central, which

touched 105 1-8, its low price of last

year.

BOSTON CUMM MARKET

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TARIFF BOARD BILL

Passed by the Senate by a
Vote of 55 to 23

Measure Was Strongly Recommended by President Taft—
The Vice President Refused to Recognize Democratic Senators Who Wanted to Speak

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The senate today passed the permanent tariff board bill by a vote of 55 to 23. The end of the long fight for this bill, strongly recommended by President Taft, came at 3:30 a. m. At that hour the vice-president directed the clerk to call the roll. Several democratic senators were on their feet, clamoring for recognition at the time and there was much confusion. The vice-president declined to recognize anyone, as feeling that debate was not in order. Senator Gore of Oklahoma declined to be taken off his feet and insisted upon making a statement while the clerk was taking the vote. The vote was along party lines, the republicans, insurgents and regulars alike, voting for the bill, with but two exceptions, and the democrats generally opposing it. Senators Bulkeley of Connecticut and Hepburn of Idaho were the republicans who recorded themselves against the bill. Four democrats voted for it, Clark, Ark., Newlands, Nev., Owen, Okla., and Thornton, La. As soon as the vote was announced Senator Bailey arose and stated that he had not voted because he did not believe the vote had been properly ordered. He said he would have voted "no."

Senator Stone of Missouri moved to reconsider the vote.

Senator Beveridge moved to lay this on the table. The latter motion was carried 55 to 23. At 7:50 this morning the senate ordered an adjournment.

On reconvening, Senator Beveridge took the floor and made a closing speech in favor of the tariff board bill, along toward 8:30, with the hour appointed for the vote only ten minutes away, Senator Smart suggested the absence of a quorum in order to

insure a full vote on the bill. When the roll call had been concluded four minutes were left. Mr. Beveridge occupied these.

Promptly at 8:30 Senator Gore arose. Senator Stone also was on his feet. They loudly addressed the chair. "Debate is not in order," ruled the vice president. "The clerk will call the roll."

"Mr. President," shouted Senators Gore and Stone in unison.

"Senators cannot interrupt a roll call," ruled Mr. Sherman.

"But I was addressing the chair before the call was ordered," shouted Mr. Gore.

Meantime the clerk was reading the call.

Mr. Gore asked for recognition on the ground of personal privilege and Mr. Stone seconded him in his request.

The vice president said that he was sure that senators did not wish to violate a unanimous consent agreement.

Senator Gore shouted that he would not be taken from the floor. He said, amid the confusion, that he had intended offering an amendment last night, but that he had decided not to do so in view of the ruling of the chair last night and that amendments were not in order. With this he sat down and the roll call proceeded in order.

When the second call on the motion to reconsider had been completed, Senator Gore again arose and repeated to the senate what he had tried to make senators hear during the first call. He declared his only purpose was to apologize.

The bill as passed by the senate carried several amendments to the house bill and was immediately sent to the house for further consideration.

A clock the senate took a recess until 10 a. m.

The Suction Shuttle Must be Abandoned as a Menace to Health



JOHN J. CONNELL
Agent of Tremont and Suffolk Mills.



WILLIAM S. SOUTHWORTH
Agent of Massachusetts Mills.



E. W. THOMAS
Agent of Boot Mills.

The Massachusetts, Boot and Tremont and Suffolk and What They are Doing—Agent Connell Gives Some Startling Figures on Mill Expenses—Merrimack Mfg. Company Causes Excitement in Stock Market

In the legislature a few days ago a bill prohibiting the use of the suction shuttle was presented and there was no opposition to it. The bill was presented by Representative Edward F. Harrington, who has been a cotton cloth weaver, and it might appear upon the face of it that the abolition of the suction shuttle, that has been in use for a century or more, was something that the representatives of labor alone are interested in, but such is not the case.

The suction shuttle has got to go, and the chances are that Mr. Harrington's bill will meet with any opposition in its legislative flight. A majority of the mill men are in favor of doing away with the suction shuttle. They agree that the pressing of divers lips to threads for the purpose of sucking the thread through the little eye is anything but conducive to good health.

Agent John J. Connell of the Tremont and Suffolk mills, Agent William S. Southworth of the Massachusetts mills, and Agent Edward W. Thomas

of the Boot mills were seen by a representative for The Sun yesterday, and they expressed themselves as in favor of the abolition of the suction shuttle. A big percentage of the new looms that are being installed in the local mills are Draper looms and in these looms the shuttles are threaded automatically, and as a substitute for the suction shuttle there are others with slits instead of eyes so that the thread can be drawn through the slit instead of sucked through the eye.

It is not very long ago that Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills, John Golden, the well known labor leader, at the state house and suggested the introduction of a bill in the legislature prohibiting the use of the suction shuttle.

While the mill men agree that this particular form of shuttle should be relegated to the rear, they would not consider it fair if an immediate discontinuance was demanded. The abolition of the shuttle will entail a big expense as more than 60 per cent. of the shuttles in the various mills are suction shuttles.

It is generally conceded that the suction shuttle is liable to affect the lungs, especially if the weaver is employed on coarse work. The lint from the warp is inhaled by the weaver as he or she sucks it through the eye of the shuttle, yet it is a well known fact that many men and women who used the suction shuttle for 50 years or more died of old age and were rarely embarrassed by doctors' bills.

Despite the fact that the mill men would favor the abolition of the suction shuttle they are a unit in declaring that the shuttle with the slit instead of the eye is a much more expensive shuttle because of breakage. The thread does not run as smoothly through the slit as through the eye and is more liable to break, but, as Agent Thomas said, the extra expense as against filling the weaver's lungs with lint is not to be considered. The suction shuttle is anything but sanitary and while some mills have gone back to that shuttle because of frequent breaking by the other shuttle, the mills

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British Government Leader Was Stricken With Sudden Illness

LONDON, March 4.—The Earl of Creve, government leader in the house of lords and secretary of state for India, was removed in an ambulance this morning from a hotel to the home of the Earl of Roseberry, following a sudden and serious illness.

The Earl was one of a dinner party at the hotel last night when he was seized with a gastric fainting fit, followed by convulsion of the brain. The extent of the breakdown may be gathered from the announcement that it will be at least two months before he will be able to resume his leadership in the upper chamber or the duties of his office. It was necessary for the patient to remain at the hotel during the night. The countess and their infant son were taken to her father's home when they were driven out of the Creve house in Mayfair by fire on February 10.

The illness of the leader is unfortunate for the government, in view of the important business coming up in the house of lords, which includes Lord Lansdowne's reform bill and the government's veto bill. The Earl's duties in the upper house and in the Indian office will be assumed temporarily by Viscount Morley, lord president of the council and former secretary of state for India.

DEATH REPORT WALLING WINS

With Causes Assigned Miss Grunspan Cannot Recover Damages

The report of deaths for the week ending March 1, 1911, with causes assigned, is as follows:

- 23—William Rynn, 64, myocarditis.
- James H. Hulme, 49, suicide.
- 24—Mary J. Adams, 54, endocarditis.
- Mary A. Hill, 77, heart disease.
- Elizabeth Aswell, 38, cancer.
- Lucien Veillette, 36, cirrhosis of liver.
- Frederick C. Matthews, 23, acute pneumonia.
- 25—Louis Lapeau, 39, disease of heart.
- Bertha Graves, 29, ch. heart disease.
- Filomena Carriera, 2, whooping cough.
- Lena M. Cushing, 3 mos., convulsions.
- John Baiyotich, 2 mos., bro. pneumonia.
- Shepard, 10 min., atelectasis.
- 26—Michael Lynch, 63, pneumonia.
- John J. Kenney, 65, diarrhoea.
- Patrick A. Hollowood, 31, disease of heart.
- Francina Panayotoulou, 30, typhemia.
- Frederick D. J. 51, valv. disease of heart.
- Mary J. Crowley, 40, endocarditis.
- Sarah L. Willey, 51, valv. disease of heart.
- Bridget Nutter, 51, pneumonia.
- Bertha Latrener, 7, endocarditis.
- William H. Jones, 78, cystitis.
- 28—Mary A. Adachmetki, 39, days' whooping cough.
- Lavinia A. Pinkham, 55, cardiac asthma.

NEW YORK, March 4.—Miss Annie Berthe Grunspan is not entitled to recover damages from William English Walling, the wealthy socialist writer and worker, for an alleged breach of promise of marriage, the jury in the supreme court which has been trying her \$100,000 suit against Walling decided today. The jury, after an all-night session, brought in a verdict for the defendant Walling.

BURNED TO DEATH

Six Persons Perished in a Fire

CENTER, Texas, March 4.—Six persons were burned to death or killed outright in a fire here shortly after midnight. Many others were hurt, at least two of them fatally.

LOWELL PRIEST

TO ADDRESS HOLY NAME SOCIETY IN LAWRENCE

Rev. James A. McDermott, O. M. I., of this city, will deliver the first in a series of sermons before the members of the Holy Name society of St. Lawrence's church, Lawrence, Monday night at 7:45 o'clock. Rev. Francis P. Cullen, spiritual director and Louis A. Kane, president of the organization, will be in charge.

STATEHOOD BILL MAJOR THURSTON

Held Up Business in the Senate Seriously Injured by a Fall

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Consideration of immediate statehood for New Mexico and Arizona held up the business of the senate for two hours today.

The senate had under consideration the resolution formally approving the New Mexico constitution. Senator Owen, insisting that the Arizona constitution which only reached Washington yesterday should be approved at the same time, held the floor against all efforts to displace him until the senate leaders finally agreed to couple Arizona with New Mexico.

After the two propositions had been coupled, however, the senate voted down the resolution. It was said later that this does not mean that New Mexico cannot be admitted by action of the president.

Mr. Owen based his fight on the assumption that President Taft might disapprove the Arizona connection because of the disapproval of the "recall" of judicial officers.

NEW YORK, March 4.—Major Walter A. Thurston, U. S. A., retired, fell today from the second story, window of a sanitarium in Lexington avenue, where he had been undergoing treatment. He was found unconscious in the house yard, suffering from a fractured rib and possible internal injuries. At the hospital to which he was taken his hurts were considered serious, but not necessarily fatal.

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SONDER YACHTS BOARD OF TRADE

White Cedar Barred in Is Arranging for Its Annual Banquet

BOSTON, March 4.—An international agreement barring white cedar in the construction of sonder yachts has been reached by the two leading organizations promoting that branch of the sport—the Kaiserlicher Yacht club of Germany and the Eastern Yacht club of this country—according to an announcement made here today.

The agreement, however, does not extend to yachts under construction nor to those already built, and one of the American boats which are being prepared for the fourth international yacht series at Kiel next June has her hull planked with such wood.

The agreement follows what, the American yachtsmen consider a very sportsmanlike attitude on the part of the Germans in not seeking to make an issue of the construction clause in the international agreement signed five years ago. Against the hubbly waters of Kiel harbor the Germans found that strong planking was necessary to stand the battering so most of the sonder yachts are built of oak cedar or mahogany. But the Americans, accustomed to smooth seas off Marblehead, sought the lightest of wood and by using white cedar were able to bring the weight of their yachts close to the minimum limit of 4,030 pounds. The Spanish yachts which came to Marblehead last August were nearly a thousand pounds heavier than the American boats and stood very little show in light weather.

The international agreement states that the sonder yachts shall be built of cedar or heavier wood. The Germans admitted that white cedar was real cedar but said that they never had any intention of building their yachts of such material, principally because of its poor quality, its lack of rigidity and its porous nature.

The three American yachts that will go to Kiel this year are the Clivia, owned by Guy Lowell of the Eastern Yacht club, the Beaver, owned by George Dabney, and others of the Beverly Yacht club, and the Biblot, owned by R. W. Emmons, 2d of the Eastern, and Harry Payne Whitney of the New York Yacht club. The Clivia is built of white cedar, the Beaver of red cedar and the Biblot of mahogany.

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GAMBLING RAID

Police Had Hard Time Getting In

NEW YORK, March 4.—The most spectacular battle in the police war against gambling resorts was fought yesterday in Times square, where great crowds leaving matinee performances of neighboring theatres saw the engagement.

Hydraulic jacks, axes and sledhammers failed to break the steel-barred doors, nearly six inches thick, which protected a third-floor room on Broadway from invasion, and Deputy Police Commissioner Flynn and a squad of detectives were finally forced to run up a ladder to one of the Broadway windows.

By the time the police had got into the room by the ladder the alleged principals in the gambling resort had escaped through windows in the rear. Not less than 200 men were found in the room, however, and numerous arrests were made.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

WATER BOARD ACTS

Appeals to City Council for Right to Seize Land

At a meeting of the water board last night it was voted to recommend to the city council that about ten acres of land on the boulevard opposite the boulevard lower pumping station be condemned and seized by right of eminent domain for the purpose of increasing the water supply for the city.

The meeting was a special one called for the purpose of approving bills. It was Mr. Robert J. Crowley's last meeting as his term will expire before the next regular meeting.

Mr. Crowley thanked his colleagues on the board for their fair and impartial treatment and he said he enjoyed the eight years that he had served on the board. He had tried to do his best for the city and to be fair with every man. There had been some criticism that went unheeded, because he believed it unwarranted. He hoped that the general good feeling prevailing among members of the board at the present time would continue and that the department would grow in usefulness and prosperity.

President Robert W. Van Tassel replied to Mr. Crowley and thanked him for his fairness and impartiality in matters concerning the business of the board. He said that Mr. Crowley's experience in matters concerning the department had been of great assistance to the present board. He spoke of the pleasant relations existing and regretted that Mr. Crowley's connection with the board was about to close.

The following resolution will go to the board of aldermen next Tuesday night with the signatures of the water board members:

March 3, 1911.
To the City Council of the City of Lowell:
Gentlemen—

Owing to the decreased supply of water from the driven wells at the boulevard plant and its deterioration in quality, the water board last year sought the assistance of the state board of health in the matter. In response to their request, they were advised to secure as soon as possible about ten acres of land on the boulevard opposite the boulevard lower pumping station. Following this recommendation, the board engaged Daniel E. Hogan of the firm of Collins & Hogan, real estate dealers, to secure options on the land in question. Later his report to the board showed that many of the owners of the land demanded unreasonable prices for the same, and the only way to obtain possession was to seize it by right of eminent domain. Accordingly, we ask your honorable body to take the necessary action for the condemnation of the several pieces or lots of land as described and set forth in accompanying resolution, and respectfully urge the importance of prompt action, so that the department may be able to improve the supply as early as possible.

TWO RESCUED

AGED WOMAN AND SON TAKEN FROM BURNING BUILDING

FRANKLIN, N. H., March 4.—An alarm from box 25, corner of Central and Franklin streets, was rung last night for a fire in the Ripley block, a three story wooden building on Central street. The fire started in the basement under Ralph Raffaelly's store, where fruit was being ripened.

Mrs. Jeannette Buchanan, aged 50, and her invalid son, E. L. Buchanan, once a champion prize fighter, were assisted from their tenement above. The smoke filled the building but the blaze was soon extinguished.

The other store is to be occupied by the People's cash market company, which will take possession next week. There was stock of goods in. The main damage will be from smoke and water. Mr. Raffaelly suffers the most, his stock of fruit, candy and tobacco being badly smoked. An estimate places the damage at \$1000.

The ground floor is occupied as an armory by the Nesmith rifle. The block is owned by Mrs. Mary J. Ripley.

SIGNED BY PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON, March 4.—The last bill that the president signed was the magazine postage commission bill.

LOWELL CLERKS

DEFEATED THE LAWRENCE BANK CLERKS AT BOWLING

The Lowell bank clerks defeated the Lawrence bank clerks by 100 pins on the Bowldway in Lawrence last evening. Three teams bowled for each side. Lowell won seven strings. Lawrence won four and one was a tie. The total pinfall: Lowell 3789, Lawrence 3639.

Following the bowling the party adjourned to Lincoln hall, where a banquet was served by Caterer A. P. Weisel. A social hour followed. The affair was in charge of F. A. Weiss. A return match will be played in Lowell March 16.

THE FIRST VETO

Of Gov. Foss Overruled by House

BOSTON, March 4.—The first veto of Gov. Foss was overruled yesterday, when the house of representatives, by a roll call vote of 155 to 51, passed over the governor's veto the bill relative to questions asked of applicants by the civil service commission. This bill provides that hereafter no applicant for a civil service position shall be required to state whether he has ever been arrested or convicted of any offense committed before he reached the age of 16 years.

BABE FOUND DEAD

Little One Passed Away Suddenly

Joseph Edouard Ovidio Pouliot, infant son of Napoleon and Clara Pouliot of 19 Western avenue, died suddenly yesterday at the home of his parents. The child, who was three months old, was apparently in good health this morning. Immediately after dinner the mother nursed the baby and laid him in his cot and took a short nap herself. When she awoke at one o'clock, she went to the child's cot and there, to her great surprise, found the little one dead.

The medical examiner was notified and he examined the body but has not as yet signed the death certificate.

THE HIGH SCHOOL

Committee to Consider Addition to It

At a meeting of the joint committee on education to be held Monday afternoon, March 6, at 3 o'clock, consideration will be given a communication from the Lowell school board calling attention to the necessity of increased accommodations at the high school. Notice of the meeting will be sent to the school board, Principal Irish of the high school, and Superintendent Whitcomb.

The number of pupils at the high school increases at the rate of about 50 a year and the school is pretty well crowded at the present time. The school board, in its communication to the city council, recommended the acquisition of land on the north side of the school and that an addition as big as the present school be built.

It is expected that some provision for industrial education will have to be made in the near future and the proposed addition would provide for that. It might also provide for domestic science, which is a hobby with Mr. Whitcomb, and a good thing. He allows that it is just as necessary that a girl should be educated in household duties as it is that she should be up in Greek, Latin and mathematics. Mr. Whitcomb, too, is a great believer in industrial education and Principal Irish will fight for it to the last breath.

RUEF GOES BEHIND BARS AT SAN QUENTIN MARCH 8



ABE RUEF

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—An order committing Abraham Ruef, the former political leader of San Francisco, out on \$250,000 bail, to San Quentin, penitentiary, where he will serve a term of fourteen years for bribing Supervisor John J. Furey, having been made by Superior Judge William D. Lawlor, there is no further hope for the man who allied himself with the crooks of the city. Ruef was taken into custody immediately after the court announced that a recent order granting him a rehearing had been vacated. This action was taken to mean that Ruef's last hope of escaping his sentence had been dispelled and Ruef was arrested as soon as possible thereafter. The court, however, granted him a seven days' stay of execution of judgment to give him time in which to settle up his affairs before going to the penitentiary. He will go to a cell at San Quentin March 8.

THE FORESTERS

EXPECT TO HAVE A GREAT CLASS INITIATION

The class initiation committee of the Foresters of America is making final preparations for the large class initiation which is to be held in Foresters' hall on Sunday afternoon, March 26th. The degree work will be exemplified by the degree team of Court Middlesex, No. 23, of this city. They have introduced many features both in floor movements and the working of the different degrees.

The committee on invitations will hold a meeting this week and it is expected that many of the supreme and grand officers will be present, including Grand Chief Ranger William J. Mountain of Gardner, Mass.

Judging from the reports of the different courts upon the number of candidates there is no doubt that the class will outnumber any that the Foresters have ever held in this city.

The committee in charge of the affair is as follows: John McPadden, Owen O'Neil, Thomas Berth, Thomas Mooney, John W. Sharkey, Charles Martin, John Condon, Patrick Kennedy, John J. Magee, John Downing, Jas. E. Pyffe, Wm. Bowles, Thomas J. Keegan, Patrick Carthy, John McNulty, R. Monahan, John Connelly, G. Labrie, H. Dupree, Wm. Gaudette, A. Vallard, O. Vallard, J. Sabourin, John A. Nelson, M. J. Anderson, C. G. Myster, J. St. Hilaire, J. Doucette, J. Hanahan, E. Pinnere, G. Lambert, J. Hartley, P. Quinn, M. Regan, E. Sears, S. Green, F. Sullivan, A. McDougall, M. McMullen, John Barrett, Wm. H. Stinson, H. Draper, J. Gill, F. McCormack, and X. Gaudette.

The next meeting of the committee will be held on Sunday, March 12th.

The members of the committee including Grand Chief Ranger, Wm. J. Mountain of Gardner, Mass., Wm. H. Stafford, grand secretary, will attend the class initiation of Court Napoleon, No. 92, of Haverhill, Sunday, March 5.

The members will leave Meriden square on the 12.10 car for Haverhill.

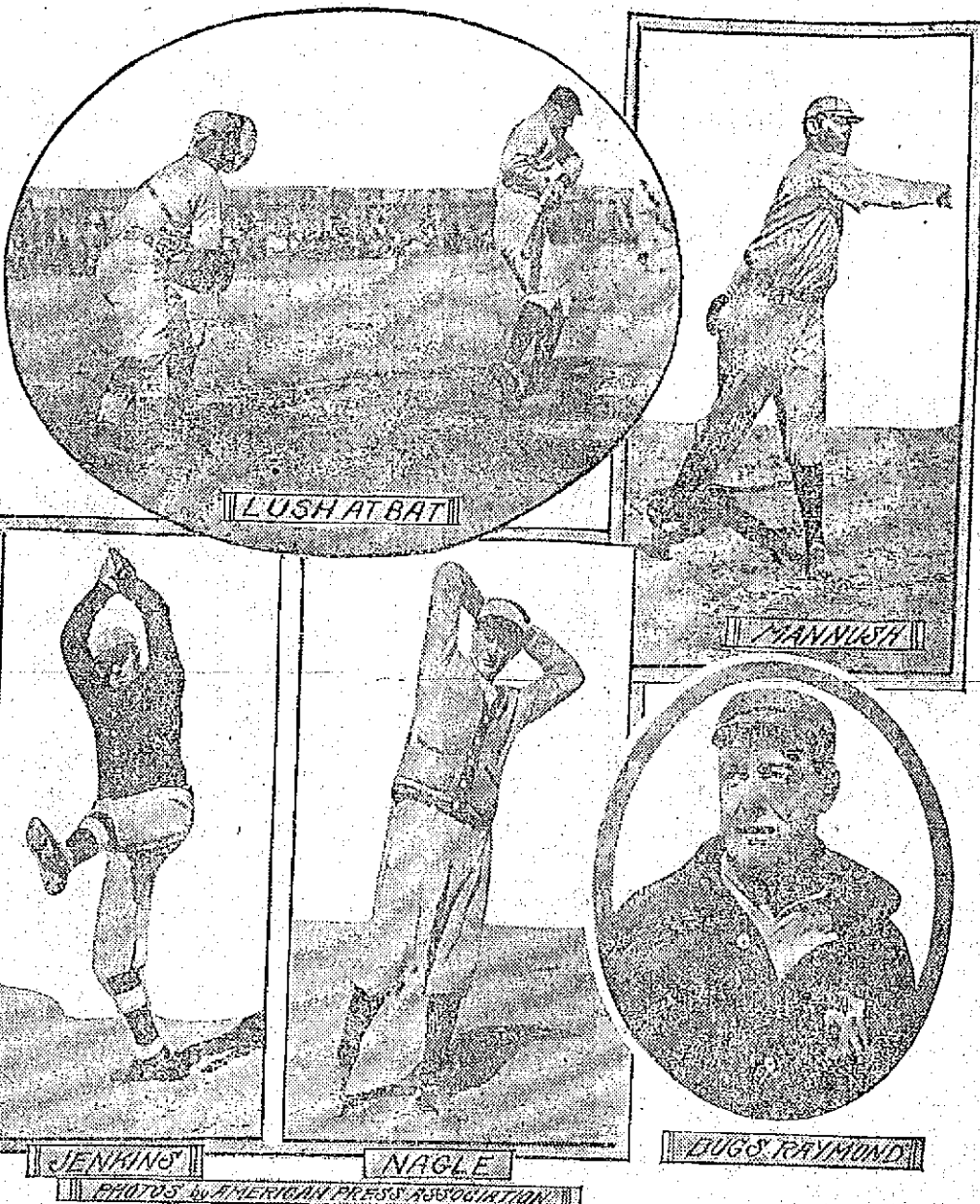
The members of the hall committee have postponed their meeting until Sunday, March 12th.

FUNERALS

MARTIN.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Norbert Martin nee Claire Bourcier took place yesterday from her late home, 103 Alken avenue. A solemn high mass of requiem was sung at St. Louis church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. J. N. Jacques assisted by Rev. Frs. Duchesneau and Fortier as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Mr. Oller J. David rendered Perant's harmonized mass, Miss Ida Monaghan presiding at the organ. Miss Clemence Simard sang Leysbach's "Pie Jesu" at the offertory, and at the elevation "O Salutaris" was rendered by Dr. D. P. Chagnon. At the close of the service Mrs. Oller J. David, sang "Les Adieux de Schubert" and as the body was being borne from the church the choir rendered "De Profundis." St. Anne's sodality was represented by the following delegation: Mesdames J. A. Jallie, Arthur Demers, Louis Cote, Olivier Leroche; the delegation of the Third Order was the following: Mesdames Alfred Gosselin, Eugene Morin, Edouard Fortin and Abraham Jullien. The bearers were Messrs. Augustin Vallet, Leon Leberge, Bastien Bourcier, Fred Laberge. Burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Amedee Archambault.

Mr. Philip I. Duval, buyer of the wash goods department of the Bon Marche, has returned from a business trip to New York.

SOME OF MCGRAW'S LIKELY YOUNGSTERS BEING TRIED OUT AT MARLIN SPRINGS, TEXAS



MARLIN SPRINGS, Tex., March 4.—Johnny McGraw is now hard at work preparing his men at Emerson park for the coming season. Every player of the New York team with the exception of infielder Arthur Shaffer is on the ground. The latter is expected to arrive early next week. According to McGraw, he has the greatest bunch of youngsters ever collected together at this time of the year. In fact, he says he will have a hard task in picking out the best before the season opens. The young pitchers Shantz, Jenkins, Tesaru and Nagle have all shown up well. The infielders Mannish, Forsyth and Fullerton give promise of developing into stars. Much interest is being taken in the work of Bugs or Arthur Raymond, as he wishes to be called now. The latter says he is in for a great year and will make Christy Mathewson look to his laurels. Bugs says he is on the water wagon for good and is sure he will pitch good ball for McGraw this season.

BIG POLO GAMES

The First Will be Played May 31

NEW YORK, March 4.—After nearly a month of consideration the Hurlingham club has submitted the earlier of the two sets of dates suggested in a cable by the Polo association, the annual ruler of the game of polo in the United States. Consequently the matches for the international cup will be played at the Meadow Brook club on Wednesday, May 31; Saturday, June 3, and Wednesday, June 7. As it is a challenge match, best two of three games, it may not be necessary to play on the third day.

Hurlingham tried to have the match put off until August, but in reply to an ultimatum from the Polo association agreed to play earlier. If dates not after June 11 could be fixed. The coronation of June 22 and following days was the stumbling block to a free choice of dates. It is due, however, and not the pursuit of pleasure that made the challenging team insist on the opportunity of attending the coronation, for they are all army officers and will be on guard if not parading with their regiments.

Win or lose, under the selection of days there will be ample time for the Hurlingham team to get back for the ceremonies, leaving their ponies to be flown on another steamer. It will be the only match here for the international cup since the inaugural, when Sir John Watson's team lifted it at Newport in 1886. American teams tried and failed more than once to regain it, but the big cup remained with the Hurlingham club until a Meadow Brook team, challengers with the approval of the Polo association, turned it over in 1909. As everyone knows now, H. P. Whitney was the captain, and his aids were Dewey, Albarn, Lawrence and J. M. Waterbury, Jr.

The acceptance of dates came in a cable yesterday from the manager of the Hurlingham club to William A. Hazard, secretary-treasurer of the Polo association. It read: "Dates suggested by you, namely 31st, 3d and 7th June will be most suitable."

The Hurlingham committee, which has had charge of the negotiations, consists of nine members. They are Viscount Valentia, permanent chairman and of the original committee of 1874; F. A. Belville, W. S. Buckmaster, Major Cecil Peters, Lord Wodehouse, the Earl of Hurlingham, W. H. J. Jones, P. W. Nickalls and R. N. Grenelle. As associates for 1911 they have Thomas Glibbey, A. M. Tree, J. S. Mason and Frank Hargreaves of the County Polo association, Lieut.-Col. H. Clifton Brown, Lieut.-Col. E. Mahkiss and Major R. B. Charlton of the Indian

Polo association; F. O. Grenfell of the South African Polo association, Major Gen. Rawlinson, Brig.-Gen. Kavanagh, Capt. Sadler-Jackson and Major Pittman of the army polo committee; Maj. O'Hara, A. S. Watt and Capt. Hardress Lloyd of the All Ireland Polo club.

Not only has the polo knowledge of the world been at the service of the Hurlingham committee, as the above list indicates, but the challenging team will have the inspiration also of representing the sporting spirit of all England, for over \$20,000 has been paid in voluntary subscriptions to help pay the expenses of the match. Few of the subscriptions exceeded \$25 and they came from all parts of the United Kingdom. "In this country," to quote a player, "it is to be feared not one in a hundred knows what polo is."

The subscription began as a rebuke to the Hurlingham club for what the public demand a lukewarmness in destroying a return match. If such a feeling ever existed it soon vanished. The Old English challenged last year, but withdrew, but for two years nearly Hurlingham has been challenging men and ponies for the challenge.

The five named by cable last week as the challenging team have been among the ten under test since the last Hurlingham season. The formation, as given is Capt. F. W. Barrett, Fifteenth Hussars; Lieut. A. Noel Edwards, Ninth Lancers; Capt. Leslie St. George Cheape, First King's Dragoons, and Lieut. E. W. Palmer, Tenth Hussars. All are in the prime of life and have had experience in the game in India against the nimble and hard hitting natives as well as on British grounds. This winter, indeed, Cheape was hit during the Melton tournament but was soon out again. They will probably bring about forty ponies and arrive during the latter part of April, which will give to them ample time to tune up.

None of the old hands of British polo familiar by visits to this country is on the team named. But many of them were playing here last season and the challengers will have the benefit of their tips as to playing conditions. On the new Hurlingham handicap list formed on the American system of rating, ten goals are the Meadow Brook team and W. S. Buckmaster, Lloyd Barrett, Edwards and Cheape, with six more are at nine and Palmer one of twenty-two at eight.

The dates selected come when the American tournament season will be well under way; in fact they conflict with the fixtures named for the Great Neck and Philadelphia Country club tournaments, which will of course give way. The Polo association selected H. P. Whitney as captain and Meadow Brook as the place when the challenge from the Old English was under consideration. Unquestionably, unless one of them chooses to withdraw, the Hurlingham will defend the trophy. The Polo association committee will meet on Monday to discuss the international match. Horsemen regard the match as great a sporting contest as yachtsmen do an America's cup series and they hope to see the home players win against the world's best team and ponies.

BOXING GOSSIP

Terry Martin and Kid Henry have been matched to box in Albany next Tuesday night.

Champion Wolfgram and Owen Moran have been offered a \$12,500 purse for 70 per cent of the receipts to box in Juana, Lower California.

Jim Barry received word yesterday that his match with Joe Jeannette is clinched for March 16 at Tom O'Rourke's New York club. Barry will go to Stratford, Conn. today to train for the bout.

The Jimmy Carroll who broke his arm in a bout at Brooklyn last Monday night is not the San Francisco man who will meet Al Delmont in one of the intercity bouts at the Armory, A. A. Boston next Tuesday night.

Manager Hanks clinched a cracker-jack match yesterday for his Augusta A. A. Joe Thomas of California and Tommy Sullivan of Lawrence will be the stars. They are well matched, and Hanks should have one of the grandest scraps ever boxed in Maine.

Manager Bartley Connolly of Portland, Me., who is putting on the Billy Dixon-Kid Sealer match at the Portland auditorium tonight has arranged a great match for the semi-final, as Johnny Gallant, the hard hitting Boston featherweight, has been elected to meet Young Hugo Kelly of Portland.

Andy Morris of East Boston, who meets Jack Leon at Bangor, Me., tonight, left for that city last night. Kid Paniz of this city, who boxes in the semi-final bout, will help Morris finish his training while in Bangor. This is the first heavyweight match put on in Bangor for a long time, and there is considerable interest in the outcome.

DIAMOND NOTES

Seven members of last year's Haverhill team are available this season. They are: William Toomey of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Ray Erroll, N. Y.; Mike O'Toole, who asked to be traded but is satisfied at any disposition that may be made of him; Hagan, who has not yet turned in his contract; Henry Merrill, who Billy Hamilton says he will give a thorough tryout in the box this season; Bill Moore, who is ready to return; and Joseph Jarvis of Tilton, N. H., an outfielder, who finished the season with Haverhill. Red Anderson, who was really the only holdout, was traded last week to Grubbs, third baseman and shortstop of the Birmingham club of the New York State league.

Of the new men signed there are for catchers, Robert A. Neal of Dover, N. H., the New Hampshire State college graduate, who will go south with Fred Tenney's Boston team; Bert Whelan of Lynn, a friend of Jimmy Wallace of the Lynn team, and John F. Nelson Jr. of Rochester, who was on the same team with Janvrin. The Boston school boy taken west with the Red Sox.

Besides the three old pitchers, Providence has turned over Duffy and Roscoe C. Herson of Rochester, N. Y., and Romeo Dandaneau, a young left-hander of Dover, N. H.

For first base the most likely candidate is George E. Sullivan, now located at Pinchurst, N. C., who has been secured from the Cincinnati club. The other candidates are John Hurley of Weymouth, Paul Bisson of Fitchburg, William C. Mitchell of Somer-

ville, Edward Munroe of North Conway, N. H., and J. A. Fraser the old Hor Cross pitcher.

For second base there are John P. Leinenger, Francis J. Lilly of South Boston and Robert Tarrant of Boston, and the management is negotiating for another. For the third corner there are Bernard Rutherford of Eastport, Me., William Finnegan of Najick, and Thomas H. Hargrave of Dover, N. H. For shortstop there are James Quinn of Providence, R. I., and Monte Pfeiffer of Brooklyn, N. Y.

For the outfield there are Al Klett of New York city, who played with the Austin, Texas, team a few years ago; Burnham Brown of Somersworth, N. H.; W. K. Hartman of Manchester, N. H., said to be a speedy youngster, and Joe Jarvis.

Jesse Burkett is not worrying about the coming season, regardless of the fact that he will in all probability have trouble with his players signing on account of cutting their salaries; and he has put on flesh. He weighs 210, or more than he ever did in his life before. Burkett's weight without doubt will cause his retirement from active playing. It will be impossible to get back in shape.

Manager Frank Leonard left Sunday for West Virginia as he has 14 cities to visit for Bull Durham signs. Information comes that Stovall, who played with Lynn last season and was let go, has a claim of something like \$35 against the Lynn club, and that the national commission has wired Tim Murnane to investigate it. As far as known there is no such claim. It is said to be for part of his transportation money.

William A. Flynn, the giant right handed pitcher, who refused to come to Worcester at the start of the 1910 season, has sent in his signed contract for this season to Manager John J. O'Donnell of the Worcester New England league team. Flynn only weighs somewhere between 180 and 225 and is more than six feet tall.

Flynn has a terrific reputation in north central New York. He pitched and played any old position with the Colgate college team and is, like a big bunch of other good young fellows, never satisfied that he's doing too much work or trying too hard for a win. He played last summer with many and various independent teams in New York state, and was the sensation of every game he appeared in, according to reports that scouts of the Worcester team sent in to Jesse D. Burkett.

Mel Kittredge, manager of the Saginaw baseball club of the Michigan state league, has signed Frank J. Daly, formerly of Dorchester High school, as an infielder for his team this spring. Daly is an all-round athlete, having represented Dorchester High school on its football, baseball and basketball teams. He was born in that district and is 21 years of age.

POLISH CHAMPION DEFEATED B. F. ROLLER IN WRESTLING MATCH

PHILADELPHIA, March 4.—Zbyszko, the Polish champion, defeated B. F. Roller, the former college athlete in a wrestling match at the American Athletic club here last night, taking two falls in one hour and 18 minutes. The men were matched to wrestle a finish, the struggle being alone being barred. In the first fall Zbyszko secured a half-Nelson and neck hold and pinned his opponent to the mat. A few minutes later he secured a rolling fall.

WORLD'S RECORD BROKEN. BALTIMORE, Md., March 4.—The world's record for one-man team at duck pins was broken here last night by the Captainsville Country club team in a match game with the Baltimore Country club. Captainsville knocked down 636 pins.

DEATHS

WOLFGANG.—James Wolfgang, four years old, son of George and Anna M. Wolfgang, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 1135 Lakewood avenue, Draught.

COUTU.—Cecile Coutu, aged 13 days, died yesterday at the home of her parents, Augustin and Della Coutu, 10 Robert place.

Timothy Sullivan, of Andover, formerly of Lowell, was in Lowell Thursday renewing old acquaintances.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Special Sale of CLUB BAGS

Leather lined sole, leather corners stitched edges, 15 in., \$4.49 16 in., 17 in., Value \$6.50.

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JIMMY GARDNER

To Meet Frank Klaus in Pittsburg

Jimmy Gardner and Frank Klaus are to meet again. They have met three times in Boston, and Paddy Minahan, Gardner's manager, figured that Hub fans had seen about enough of this pair, although the local club was quite willing to match them for a fourth meeting. But the bout will be fresh as a daisy to the Smoky City, and is certainly one of the very best contests ever billed there. The first bout, in Boston between Klaus and Gardner was unsatisfactory, for Gardner was in poor shape, and made a very unsatisfactory showing. But since then Jimmy has taken on a new lease of life and in his second bout with Klaus he beat the Pittsburg bear by a city block. The third contest saw Klaus in the best form he has ever shown in Boston, but the best he could get from Gardner was a draw. The men are very evenly matched, and the Pittsburg meeting, which is at six rounds, without a decision, won't decide anything. But it will give the Pittsburg fans a bout that will be a hammer, and at the short distance Gardner is pretty apt to have all the better of it.

THE BOOTT TEAM Won in Manufacturers League

The final game in the Manufacturers' league series was played between the Boott and Hamilton teams on the at- tacks last night and the Boott team won with comparative ease. Kirby of the winning team was high man with a triple of 235.

The game between the Majority team of the Lowell Electric Light Co. and the Minority team resulted in a victory for the Majority Five. The scores:

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE				
	B	H	T	T
Weaver	1	2	3	21
Grantham	73	85	88	224
Johnson	93	111	81	285
Kirby	99	101	104	293
Abbott	30	90	100	280
Totals	433	451	430	1324

ELECTRIC LIGHT LEAGUE				
Majority Team				
	B	H	T	T
J. Wood	71	3	3	273
Spencer	56	110	86	252
Caswell	76	68	83	227
Morton	85	84	88	257
A. Wood	92	104	76	272
Noon	90	78	80	248
Totals	499	547	511	1657

Minority Team				
	B	H	T	T
Coggins	81	78	75	234
Dunlevy	71	65	82	218
Morrison	76	73	84	233
Dowling	79	75	80	234
Praschott	82	83	81	246
Callahan	36	55	111	202
Totals	485	458	513	1454

WESTERN OPEN GOLF CHAMPION GOING ABROAD TO PLAY



CHARLES EVANS JR.

CHICAGO, March 4.—Another American golfer is going abroad. The latest one to announce his intention of trying his skill on the other side of the Atlantic is Charles (Chick) Evans of the Edgewood Golf club of this city, holder of the western open title. Evans plans to compete in the British amateur championships to be held on the Prestwick links, Scotland, May 29 to June 3. Local golfers have started a subscription to contribute to his expenses. Evans is conceded to be one of the greatest golfers ever developed in this country. As Fred Herreboft and John Anderson have also announced their intention of going abroad, America will be well represented in the event.

SENSATIONAL EVENTS COTTON MILLS

Continued

That Marked Session of the 61st Congress

WASHINGTON, March 4.—In the retrospect of the sixty-first congress, which expired by constitutional limitation at noon today, appears to have been distinguished by three things: The revision of the tariff in the so-called Payne-Aldrich bill, which was passed at an extra session in the summer of 1909, the large amount of important legislation, much of it upon the recommendation of President Taft, enacted at the regular session of 1909-10, and the exceedingly small product of the "short session," so-called, now coming to a close.

The interval between the last two sessions was marked by the political upheaval registered at the general election of last November, which changed a large republican majority into a still larger democratic majority in the house of representatives; cut the republican majority in the senate almost to the vanishing point, and incidentally effected striking changes in the senate personnel.

The failure of this session to enact important legislation has resulted in the practical certainty that the new sixty-second congress will be called immediately in extraordinary session, especially by reason of the strong desire of President Taft to secure action upon the pending reciprocity agreement with Canada, to the consummation of which the contracting parties pledged the utmost efforts of the two governments.

In strong contrast with the support which the Taft administration received from the republican majority in the matter of legislation in the regular session of 1909-10 is the fact that at the present session the majority has been anything but united; the reciprocity agreement was passed in the house by the aid of a large proportion of democratic votes, while in the senate the rift in the majority between the "regulars" and "insurgents" has been an important factor in its defeat.

To this division in the majority was largely due the most dramatic feature of the previous long session—the protracted and sensational conflict last spring which ended in material changes in the rules of the house generally interpreted as "the overthrow of the speaker" and which, after a bitter fight that lasted many hours, and including one all night struggle stopped only just short of the actual unseating of Speaker Cannon. While the acrimony between regulars and insurgents neither began nor ended with the battle over the rules, that was its most conspicuous episode, and there has been little peace between the factions since in either house.

In the senate, the most sensational feature of this session was the unwilling effort, in which the insurgents were most active, to unseat William Lorimer as junior senator from Illinois, on the ground of alleged bribery in connection with his election by the legislature of that state in the spring of 1909. The echoes of this battle are still reverberating, and its bitterness adds friction to the closing hours of the senate session.

Another important recent action of the senate was the defeat of the resolution embodying a proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States to provide for the direct election of senators by the people.

This resolution received more than a majority of the senate, but it needed a two-thirds vote, and fell short by only four. Had the senate passed it, the house almost certainly would have done so. The friends of this proposition entertain little doubt that it will pass the next congress, and go to the states for ratification or defeat. The output of this session in the way of general measures consists chiefly of the appropriation bills, and several of those have seemed in danger more than once in the tense situation of the past few days when long hours passed away in filibustering on one side or the other.

Thousands of bills have been introduced and several thousands more came to the closing session as a heritage from the first and second sessions. In all, there are between 35,000 and 45,000 measures before the congress as it comes to a close. The failure to enact many laws was not due to lack of raw material.

These are some of the more important measures, outside appropriation bills, that the final session of this congress enacted into law: Providing for forest reserves in the Southern Appalachian and White Mountains. Providing for the inspection of boilers on locomotives. Providing for the purchase or erection of embassies, legations and consular buildings abroad. An ocean mail bill passed the senate, but the house did not manifest enough liking for it to send it on to the White House.

Barren as the final session may have been of fruitful legislation, the republican leaders point to the preceding sessions as more fruitful. For the first or extra session, they point to: The Payne-Aldrich tariff act, with its maximum and minimum features and corporation tax provisions, and its customs code. The resolution providing for an income tax amendment to the constitution. For the first regular session they refer to laws for: Establishment of postal savings banks. Admission of New Mexico and Arizona to statehood. The most extensive census ever taken. Creation of the commerce court, and sweeping amendments to the interstate commerce act. Conservation legislation, including authorization of withdrawal of public lands to preserve water sites and authorization of the issue of twenty million in bonds for completing irrigation projects.

Legislation designed to suppress the "white slave trade." Publicity of campaign contributions at election of members of the house. Amendment to the employers' liability act of 1903; supplemental safety appliance act; requirement that railroad report accidents to interstate commerce commission, and establishment of a bureau of mines. Reorganization of light house service. Authorization of expenditure of \$25,000,000 for public buildings.

Services will be held for married women only and conducted every night at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Tourangeau, O. M. I., who is to preach at Notre-Dame de Lourdes church arrived this morning. The services at the latter church will be conducted for the married and the unmarried women of the parish, and will be held at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow Saturday, at 7:30 o'clock.

At St. Louis' church the annual missions will be held for a couple of weeks at least, for the two priests who were to preach at these missions have taken ill and are not able to come. Rev. Fr. Jacques, pastor of the church, is endeavoring to get two notable missionaries to conduct the missions in his parish.

as a whole are adopting mechanical methods and it is only a question of a few years when every mill in the country will be equipped with automatically threading shuttles and the suction shuttle and inferior substitutes will have to take a back seat.

The damage done the Boott mills by the bursting of a fly wheel a few weeks ago is being repaired, and the repairs are being pushed with all possible speed. The magnitude of the damage done the mill was very conservatively set forth at the time and the repairs amount, practically, to the building of a new portion. When the big belt slipped and the monster wheel went wild, it tore its way through the side of

Live of The Sun, said: "We are trying to run our mills on our own money. We do not want to borrow from the selling houses or anybody else. We are not lending any money because we need all we have, and more too, to run our own business. Anybody acquainted with the business of the mill world knows that the Tremont & Suffolk is not lending money."

"We use 1500 bales of cotton a week and when cotton was selling at eight cents a pound our weekly supply cost us \$50,000. Now we are paying 10 cents a pound and our weekly supply costs us \$112,500 a week."

"Besides that we have to find \$25,000 a week to meet the payroll and \$10,000 a week for supplies, making a total of \$137,500 a week. These are actual figures and they cannot be disputed and even at that price we have made a little money."

"We are conducting our business on a cash basis and I want to remark right here that no mill has a right to be a creditor of the Merrimack Manufacturing Co.," he said.

Some simple lines put in its place, we believe that the earning capacity of the plant would be increased. The specialists in corduroys are apparently doing more profitable business than the Merrimack corduroy department, and while the Merrimack product is good up to quality, it does not seem to be profitable in competition with several other lines made by factors especially devoting their efforts to this line of production, the Crompton Co. being one and Otto Hoekmeyer, another factor right in the front ranks at the present time, as sharp competitors of the Merrimack. We do not wish to give the impression that the Merrimack corduroys are not a good fabric, because they are, but as a department of Merrimack Manufacturing Co. we cannot class them as successfully profitable.

Treasurer Lyman E. Boardman to build up the property and he has been ably assisted by Agent Wadleigh and the superintendents and overseers, and results show that they have made good and Merrimack preferred is a desirable security to put away for a permanent investment.

NEW ENGLAND MILLS

Par	Last
American Woolen Co.	100 34 1/2
American Woolen Pfd.	100 95 3/4
Amoskeag Mfg. Co.	100 32 1/2
Androssoggin Mills	100 19 1/2
Appleton	100 17 1/2
Arlington Mills	100 13 1/2
Atlantic Cotton Mills	100 7 1/2
Atlas Mfg.	100 25 1/2
Bigelow Carpet Co.	100 17 1/2
Boott Mills	100 95 3/4
Boston Duck Co.	100 135 1/2
Boston Mfg. Co.	100 106 1/2
Cabot Mills	100 115 1/2
Chicopee Mfg. Co.	100 125 1/2
Continental Mills	100 102 1/2
Dwight Mfg. Co.	100 117 1/2
Edwards Mfg. Co.	100 85 1/2
Essex Co.	100 150 1/2
Everett Mills	100 100 1/2
Fishers Mfg. Co.	100 121 1/2
Franklin Co.	100 115 1/2
Great Falls Mfg. Co.	100 105 1/2
Hamilton Mfg. Co.	100 350 1/2
Hamilton Woolen Co.	100 103 1/2
Hill Mfg. Co.	100 114 1/2
Jackson Co.	100 95 1/2
Lawrence Mfg. Co.	100 124 1/2
Lowell Blacking	100 280 1/2
Lowell Hosiery	100 102 1/2
Lyman Mills	100 125 1/2
Massey Mfg. Co.	100 105 1/2
Mass. Cotton Mills, Nags.	100 120 1/2
Merrimack Mfg. Co. Com.	100 53 1/2
Merrimack Mfg. Co. Pfd.	100 106 1/2
Middlesex Co.	100 23 1/2
Monadnock Mills	100 100 1/2
Nashua Mfg. Co.	100 62 1/2
Nashua Steam Cst. Co.	100 143 1/2
Newmarket	100 145 1/2
Otis Mfg. Co.	100 100 1/2
Pacific Mills	100 85 1/2
Pepperell Mfg. Co.	100 280 1/2
Plymouth Cordage Co.	100 145 1/2
Salmon Falls Mfg. Co.	100 21 1/2
Shaw Stocking Co.	100 117 1/2
Suncook Mills	100 89 1/2
Thorndike	100 120 1/2
Tremont & Suffolk Mills	100 120 1/2
Waltham & D. Works	100 129 1/2
York Mfg. Co.	100 147 1/2

THE NEW SHUTTLE

SKETCH SHOWING THE OPERATION OF THE SUCTION SHUTTLE AND CUT OF A NEW SHUTTLE THAT DOES AWAY WITH THE SUCTION FEATURE

The hole through which the thread is drawn by the breath is marked with a cross in the above cut.

the building and cut the mill wall in two for a distance of more than 35 feet. It will be some time before the repairs have been completed. The cost of the new shuttle is being taken away in pieces and total cost of repairs will amount to more than \$60,000. A big gang of men were working like beavers when a reporter for The Sun dropped in at the scene of the accident yesterday afternoon and the last of the battered engine was being removed. A new smoke flue is being built from the boilers to the chimney and when asked what provision had been made for the abatement of the smoke nuisance, so-called, Mr. Thomas said that the company had been installed. Mr. Thomas said that the economizers prevented the emission of black smoke. The smoke from the Boott and Massachusetts mills, however, does not do much harm as most of it is carried down the river.

The Electric Plant

The Boott mills are gradually going over to electric power. There is hardly a department that is not being operated in part by electricity and some departments wholly by that power. The Boott is buying considerable power from the Lowell Electric Light company at the present time, but Mr. Thomas told the reporter that he expected to be able to dispense with outside assistance within a few days. Generators attached to the water wheels and connected with a steam turbine in the process, simplified, of applying electric power.

The Massachusetts Mills

The Massachusetts mills are making good headway with the new boiler house. The work is being pushed as fast as possible by Contractor Conlon, the iron frame being nearly all in position. The Massachusetts is starting up some Crompton and Knowles looms in its new mill. Some power from the new electric generator is being used in the power house. It is planned to move some of the Crompton and Knowles box looms from No. 2 to No. 1 mill, to make room for spooling and warping. New spinning frames and carding machinery are being received, mostly from the Lowell Machine shop.

The electric shunting engine used for several years by the Massachusetts mills is practically out of commission. The increase in business was too much for the electric engine and a goodly sized steam engine purchased in Philadelphia a short time ago is expected to arrive next week.

Agent Connell Speaks

Asked what he had to say relative to certain criticism relative to the Tremont & Suffolk mills paying a \$40,000 dividend, recently, Agent Connell said the writer may have meant well but was not acquainted with his subject. It was only a few weeks ago that the Tremont & Suffolk passed a 2 percent semi-annual dividend. The amount involved was \$40,000, and the criticism was based on the ground that a corporation carrying a surplus of nearly \$2,500,000, with net quick assets of about the same amount, should pass this petty dividend.

In reply to such criticism, Mr. Connell, in conversation with a representa-

mal and the preferred shares appear to be an attractive permanent investment under present conditions. The disposal of the printing department would benefit all concerned, and with the installation of considerable new machinery during the next six months, the outlook is good for an indefinite run of prosperity.

The Merrimack and the Pacific corporations are controlled by practically the same interests, men prominent in the cotton manufacturing industry being directors in each company, and nothing is more natural than the acquisition of the Merrimack Printing works by the Pacific mills, when the proper time comes. It is not expected that the change will come through any names have been suggested in an effort to reach a compromise. Those are Dr. Luis Lazo, the minister of Honduras to the United States, Arango Lazo, his brother, who is an attorney of New York, and Judge Ucles, the representative of Honduras to the Central American peace court at Cartage. This information has reached the state department in advance from the American minister in Tegucigalpa.

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THE PEACE ENVOYS

Cannot Agree on Candidate for Provisional President

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VON RYDINGSVARD—The funeral of Mrs. Anna M. Von Rydingsvard took place yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from her home in North Chelmsford. Christian Science services were conducted by Rev. Paul B. Weston. Appropriate selections were sung by Miss Blanche Holt. The bearers were Charles J. and Edward L. Davis, Win. H. Hoole and Albert A. Farnsworth. The body was placed in the reposing tomb in the Dunstable cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BAGSHAW—The funeral services of Margaret Bagshaw took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, Walter and Josephine Bagshaw, 145 Sanders avenue, at 2 o'clock. And were largely attended by relatives and friends. There were many beautiful floral tributes. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the communal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Harkins, pastor of St. Margaret's church. The bearers were Masters John Doyle, Robert Johnson, Stephen Johnson, Charles Lowe, Walter Doyle and Daniel Coughlin. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

LEARY—The funeral of Bridget Leary took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Higgins Brothers in Lawrence street. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Peter's church at nine o'clock by Rev. John MacGuinness. The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian chant. At the offertory May Whiteley rendered "Pie Jesu" and as the body was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung.

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ANNUAL MISSION

Will Open at Local French Churches

The annual missions at St. Jean Baptiste, St. Joseph's and Notre-Dame de Lourdes church, will open tomorrow evening. At St. Jean Baptiste and St. Joseph's churches, the services will be held at 7:30 o'clock; Rev. Fr. Gena will preach at the former church, and Rev. Fr. Roumeau at the latter. Both ser-

ices will be held for married women only and conducted every night at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Tourangeau, O. M. I., who is to preach at Notre-Dame de Lourdes church arrived this morning. The services at the latter church will be conducted for the married and the unmarried women of the parish, and will be held at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow Saturday, at 7:30 o'clock.

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The board of health should get ready for a big job of spring cleaning.

The United Mine Workers have thrown their best leader, in ousting John Mitchell.

The suction shuttle must go. The onward march of factory sanitation has decreed against it.

SENATOR LODGE SIDESTEPS

Why Senator Lodge relinquished the sponsorship for the tariff board bill and turned it over to Senator Beveridge of Indiana was the subject of a lively debate in the U. S. senate the other day. It would appear that Senator Lodge wished to evade the responsibility. He undoubtedly feels that his prominence in pushing the Payne-Aldrich bill was not appreciated.

AMERICAN PEACE SOCIETY IN JAPAN

The Americans residing in Japan have formed a Peace society, the object of which is to cultivate friendly relations between Japan and the United States. The society was organized at Yokohama on the 30th ult., and the action taken and sentiments expressed brought out very favorable comments in the Japanese newspapers. The Japan Gazette praised the purpose of the meeting at which this action was taken and paid a high compliment to U. S. Ambassador Thomas B. O'Brien for the frank and fearless spirit of his speech in the course of which he said:

"Let me assure you, Mr. President, ladies and gentlemen—and I ought to know something about it—that there is no cause under the sun why there should be distrust between the people of these two countries. There are no questions of importance pending, and no business being conducted diplomatically which should excite the suspicions or make the slightest trouble between the two peoples."

This action and the changes in the treaty relations between this country and Japan have resulted in a more friendly feeling on the part of the Japanese towards this country. This was shown when 5000 Japanese residents of Honolulu turned out in parade to celebrate Washington's birthday. While we hold the Philippines we cannot afford to break with Japan, and that explains why we must concede so much to the whims of the Japanese people.

THE ROAD TO SUCCESS

There will always be found many men discontented with their lot and envying others who may have attained better positions by harder work or more scientific methods.

That is one of the greatest obstacles to success in this busy world today. It recalls the fable of the dog with a bone in his mouth when crossing a stream. Seeing the reflection of the bone he carried, he dropped the substance to grasp at the shadow. That is analogous to what many people do when they neglect or abandon their regular occupation or business to enter some other. They know the disadvantages of that in which they are now engaged; but they may not know the drawbacks of that they wish to enter.

There is in every business certain principles to be learned and applied before success can be attained. The man who views a house, an apartment or a calling from the outside cannot have an accurate idea of it, and hence it is foolish for anybody to judge of an avocation without the positive knowledge necessary to guide the judgment. The man who keeps shifting from one calling to another, or from one place to another will seldom achieve real success which depends mainly upon continued effort in one direction.

Mountains have been bored through and tunnels constructed by the process of continual drilling, by boring into the solid rock, then excavating and propping up the sides. This requires perseverance, and so does every task of any importance. To accomplish such a feat it would be futile to bore a little distance in one direction, then change to another direction in the hope of finding a shorter way.

Some of the greatest failures in every business result from lack of concentration on one thing or of continued effort in one direction.

It was Ruskin who said: "If you want knowledge you must toil for it; if food you must toil for it, and if pleasure you must toil for it; toil is the law."

Emerson says that "no way has been found for making heroism easy, even for the scholar. Labor, iron labor, is for him. The world was created as an audience for him; the atoms of which it is made are opportunities."

"Labor omnia vincit" or "Labor conquers all things," was the maxim of the ancients, and "Laborare est orare"—To work is to pray, was first enunciated by a Roman sage. Both maxims are as true today as of old, yet there are many who do not believe in honest work. It is surprising to find how many eschew toil and endeavor to live by dishonest means or by the toil of others.

Carlyle asserts the unspeakable holiness of work and honors but the toiling craftsman and the man who toils for the spiritually indispensable, not daily bread but the bread of Life. These two he honors and all else he regards as "chaff and dust." Assuming that work is the gospel of practical life, it is further to be said that to be successful the work must be intelligent and along right lines.

Excellence is attained only by oft repeated effort in the right direction. Excellence is the result of work, hard work. Many of those who are said to be gifted with genius possess only the power to work hard with the hope of doing things better at every new attempt. He who gets the habit of carelessness in execution will never attain excellence. Every great artist that ever lived worked hard to improve his natural gifts. Men may be born with the talent for poetry or art; but like the statue that lies hidden in the block of marble, their gifts might never come to light but for the effects of education. The persevering worker who sells his face towards the highest excellence may not reach the goal, as few ever do, but he will at least accomplish that widely desired end known as success.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Sigrist, the man who "slashed Rembrandt's 'Nightwatch,'" has disappeared and may be in this country now. Arrested on the spot, he was released on his own recognizance, and immediately took advantage of the opportunity afforded him by the Dutch law. A sentence of two years' imprisonment awaits him if he ever returns home.

The Somerville school committee has promoted Harry L. Jones, sub-master in the English high school and for several years connected with the conduct of athletic sports by the two Somerville high schools, to be also supervisor of manual training in the Boys' Industrial school. This duty will be added to his previous school work, and he will receive an increase of \$300 in salary.

The homage paid to Singer, the dead German socialist, was something out of all reckoning. Berlin had a deeply impressive exhibition of the numerical might and armylike discipline of the German proletariat on the occasion of the funeral of the socialist leader, either as participants or sympathetic observers, the general obsequies of the great socialist democrat.

The dead idol's remains were borne to the grave in a procession five miles long which was a many hours passing a given point. There has been no such mourning by the populace since the burial of the Emperor William I. twenty-three years ago. Estimates vary as to the number of the marching mourners. None places them lower than 150,000, while the multitudes through which they threaded their way and which choked the intersecting streets from the Vorwarts office in the center of the city to the Friedrichsfeide cemetery, entirely baffled computation. If one were to build a balcony crowding the windows, balconies and roofs throughout the populous east end of Berlin, one would not be far astray, it is said, in calculating that a third of the population of the metropolis paid a tribute to Herr Singer's memory.

Apart from the numerical magnitude, the outstanding feature of the funeral was the enormous number of magnificent wreaths. There could have been fewer than 2,000. All four feet in diameter. Each was carried shoulder high between a pair of stalwart mourners. The wreaths were embellished with broad red streamers with inscriptions, expressing fervent socialist sentiments.

From one of the many points a full half-mile of scarlet blooms and waving ribbon could be surveyed. Floral offerings came from organizations in England, France, Belgium, Holland

and the rest of Europe. The city of Berlin was officially represented at the funeral by the chief and vice burgomasters and members of the city council, to which Herr Singer belonged.

Sir John Murray, the eminent British naturalist and scientist who is recovering from a critical illness with which he was taken recently in Boston while delivering a series of lectures at the Lowell institute, was born at Coburg, Ont., March 3, 1841. He was educated in the public schools of London, Ont., then went to Victoria college at Coburg, after which he continued study along his chosen lines at Edinburgh university. There he distinguished himself, winning a large number of prizes and medals. Leaving Edinburgh he began active exploration. Aboard a whaling vessel he visited Spitzbergen and the Arctic regions in 1868. Later he accompanied the British expedition appointed to explore the physical conditions of great oceanic basins. Afterward he was a member of the expedition for the exploration of the Faroe channel. Between 1886 and 1895 he made many expeditions among tropical oceanic islands. In recognition of his contributions to scientific knowledge the order of Knighthood was conferred upon him in 1895.

AN ENTERTAINMENT

TO RAISE FUNDS TO BEAUTIFY SCHOOL GROUNDS

An entertainment will be given in the Moody school hall at 3.30 next Tuesday afternoon the proceeds of which will be used to beautify the school grounds. The program, is as follows:

Mixed quartet, "Red, Red Rose," Mrs. G. H. Spalding, Miss May L. Eveleigh, Mr. Herbert F. Whitely, Mr. Hugh Johnson; soprano solo, "An Open Secret," Miss Dorothy Hurd; soprano and contralto duo, "Carmena," Misses Reilly and Eveleigh; trio, a, "Ecoute Moi," Among the Lilies, Messrs. Whidden and Mrs. Spalding; tenor and bass duo, "See the Pale Moon," Messrs. Whitely and Johnson; contralto solo, "Sunset," Miss Eveleigh; violin solo, "Hejre-Kati," Mr. Edward Hiron; two sopranos, duo, "Neath the Stars," Miss Reilly and Mrs. Spalding; bass solo, "A Dream," Mr. Johnson; ladies' quartet, "Four Little Country Maids," Misses Hurd, Reilly, Eveleigh and Mrs. Spalding. Messrs. P. F. Sullivan, Chas. S. Lilley, J. J. Pickman, E. S. Hyman, F. C. Church, Harry Dunlap and John E. Drury have contributed eighteen trees for the school yard.



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WHEAT RECEIPTS

A Decrease in the Interior Markets

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Decreased receipts of wheat at leading interior markets, and smaller shipments of flour are the leading features of the commercial movements of breadstuffs during January of the present year, as reported by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor. For the first time also the monthly exports of wheat, were less in quantity than the exports of corn.

Grain receipts during January at 15 important markets, 65,403,731 bushels, show but little variation from the January figures of the preceding year and the January average for the preceding 5-year period. The total inbound movement was made up of 16,494,484 bushels of wheat; 23,453,333 bushels of corn; 16,487,593 bushels of oats; 6,187,041 bushels of barley; and 752,089 bushels of rye. As compared with corresponding 1910 figures for the more important grains, the receipts of corn, oats and barley, show larger totals, while those of wheat show a sharp decline from the corresponding monthly total. It should be stated that this decline is not a peculiar feature of the January receipts. As a matter of fact wheat receipts for all the months of the current season beginning with September, were lower than the year before, indicating either heavier receipts at the smaller markets, for which no official reports are had, or else larger stocks in the hands of the producers. The decrease may be said to affect almost equally the spring wheat and the winter wheat crops. Wheat receipts at these markets for the five months of the present crop period fell more than 20 per cent. short of like receipts during the 1909-10 season and about 13 per cent. short of the average receipts during the same period for the preceding five crop seasons. This corn receipts at fifteen interior markets for the five months, 11,702,165 bushels, were heavier than the same periods in the preceding five seasons, the larger receipts for the current season corresponding to the larger export demand at the Atlantic ports. The month witnessed increased receipts of corn at the four principal Atlantic ports, 10,459,721 bushels, compared with 7,830,815 bushels received during January, 1910, and 5,487,514 bushels received during January, 1909. Wheat receipts at the four Atlantic ports totaled only 1,240,476 bushels, compared with 3,934,000 bushels received in January, 1910, and 3,084,460 bushels received in January, 1909. The exports of these ports show corresponding declines. As a matter of fact, of the total domestic exports of wheat for the month, 4,789,151 bushels, almost 75 per cent, was shipped from the Pacific ports, the exports from Portland, Oregon, and Puget Sound points leading those from any other coastwise district, both for the month as well as for the cumulative period since July, 1910. It should be stated though, that the seven months' wheat exports for the present fiscal year, 17,195,728 bushels, were practically only one-third of the average seven months' exports for the preceding five-year period. The largest shipments in the wheat exports to date, shown by the Gulf ports, particularly Galveston and New Orleans.

The total flour exports for the seven months' period ending January, 1911, 5,848,749 barrels, were about 26 per cent. below the average exports for the seven months of the preceding five years. The seven months' flour exports from the four leading Atlantic ports are given as 41,554 barrels, compared with 780,564 barrels in 1910 and 1,817,180 barrels in 1909. The corn exports for the seven months' period of the present fiscal year, 28,535,460 bushels, were larger than in 1909 and 1910 and exceeded in quantity those of wheat, though falling considerably below like exports during the years prior to 1909. The exports of barley during the seven months of the present fiscal year, 8,223,541 bushels, proceeded mainly from San Francisco and show a large gain over like exports in earlier years.

The value of all breadstuffs exported during the seven months of the present year was \$72,585,445, showing a decline of 23 per cent, as compared with the figures for the preceding year, and a loss of about 45 million dollars since 1906, notwithstanding the considerable rise in prices since that year.

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ARTHUR, W. The new estimator. 650.199

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BRANT, W. T. editor. Metal work. 670.281

CRAMPTON, C. W. and others. Applied ideals in work with boys. 371.91

DEWANT, D. Magic made easy. 130.231

EDMUNDSON, H. Efficiency as a basis of operation and wages. 330.727

FORBES, W. B. Church work with boys. 260.302

FOWLER, N. C. Jr., and others. The boy: how to help him succeed. 371.91

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HONEY, J. A. South African folk-tales. 390.504

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THE STATE BOARD

To Distribute Seed of Field Corn

At the annual meeting of the state board of agriculture the board approved the recommendation of Secretary Ellsworth that he secure seed of superior strains of field corn, mainly of Flint varieties, and distribute small quantities to such farmers as will agree to plant and care for it properly, and return double the amount received, for further distribution.

The first distribution under this plan will take place at the office of the State Board of Agriculture, room 128, state house, Boston, on Friday, March 10th next, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m. The terms are as above stated, each farmer to receive not exceeding three ears, according to the number applying for the same, with the agreement that he shall plant the same where it will not mix with other strains, and it successful in its culture, return double the number of ears, in the autumn of 1911. The board will hold a corn exhibition in its office at some date to be determined later and those receiving this seed corn will be asked to exhibit at that time.

No trouble or expense has been spared in securing good corn for this distribution, some excellent strains being included in the lot which Secretary Ellsworth has on hand, among others those of Mr. George E. Stickney, of Newbury, Mass., who took prize for the best ear of Flint corn at the New England corn exposition; Mr. Harry Chapin, of Sheffield, Mass., winner of the first prize for the largest yield of Flint corn per acre, and Mr. Percy B. Davis of Granby, Mass., who took the second prize for the largest yield per acre at the same show.

The object of the distribution is to improve the quality of the corn grown in the state, and this, it is believed, can be best accomplished by a wide distribution of seed among a large number of growers. As one Worcester county farmer succeeded in growing six bushels of well ripened corn from the seed obtained from one ear of the Stickney corn, in 1910, it will be seen that any grower can get a very good start toward improvement by securing his share in this distribution.

The scientific side of the question will not be neglected and Dr. George M. Twitchell, of Maine, himself a successful corn breeder, will give his lecture, "A plain story from the corn field," at the rooms of the board, on the date above mentioned. All are invited to attend this lecture, even though their plans are not such as to include taking advantage of the seed distribution.

Realizing that there will be many farmers throughout the state who will not be able to come to the office of the board, and who will yet desire to avail themselves of this opportunity, Secretary Ellsworth will send the allotted number of ears to any such applying by mail for the same, preference to be given to those attending the meeting, and other applications to be filled in order of their receipt. If the supply allows, application should be made to J. Lewis Ellsworth, Sec. State Board of Agriculture, State House, Boston, Mass.

REAL ESTATE

Transactions Recorded During the Week

The following real estate sales for Lowell and suburban towns were recorded at the registry of deeds for the present week:

LOWELL

Kate T. Dimon to Cora K. Barrows, land and buildings on Parkview ave. \$1.

Omer Deziel to Ubald Allard, land and buildings on Cheever st. \$1.

Othel R. Park to Mary G. Farris, land on Orchard st. \$1.

Emma F. Henningsway, to Clara Witham, land on Beacon st. \$1.

Flora I. Mott to Nettie B. Dillon, land and buildings on Wilder st. \$1.

John L. Van Tassel, et ux., to Alfred

Bibeault, land and buildings on Ford st. \$1.

Criterion Knitting Co.'s est. to John L. Keesee, land and buildings on Lincoln and Ludlow sts. \$21,133.

Anna W. Holt to George H. Watson, et ux., land and buildings on Davenport st., West and Pine sts. \$1.

Joseph F. Burns' est. to the Central Savings Bank, land and buildings on Crosby st. \$250.

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Alvin C. Fether to Paul Peters, land on Old Lowell road and First st. \$1.

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REBEL TROOPS THREATEN CHIHUAHUA DANGEROUSLY AND CITY SUFFERS

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Hearings on the Bill to Repeal Measure Brought to a Close



EL PASO, March 4.—The rebel troops having entered around Chihuahua in large numbers, and railroad communication with the locality having been for the most part destroyed, the city is in immediate danger of falling into the hands of the insurgents. Telegrams received from Chihuahua say that owing to the railroads being cut off north and south the price of provisions is rising rapidly and foreigners and natives alike are suffering on account of stagnation of business. The troops dare not go outside of town for fear of being trapped by the insurgents. One dispatch says the town is alarmed by reports that the city's surrender has been demanded. An estimate places the number of insurgents west of the city at 1,500, with Madero and his force advancing from the north.

CHERBOURG, France, March 4.—Paris since August. His mission was to place in Europe bonds in conversion of the Mexican national debt to the amount of \$110,000,000. One-half of the issue has been placed, but the minister decided not to dispose of the remainder at this time.

COUNT APPONYI Defends Himself from Attacks Made

BOSTON, March 4.—Count Albert Apponyi of Hungary who has been speaking in this country on universal peace, visited Boston and Cambridge yesterday. In his address before the students of Harvard university he devoted from his topic long enough to defend himself from attacks made by fellow countrymen in America. Nearly every student in the university had received a pamphlet signed by the Slavak national committee, Cleveland, O., attacking the Hungarian statesman for his alleged attitude against the non-magyar people. To meet this attack, Count Apponyi who was introduced by President Lowell, discussed the racial problem in Hungary, the relations of which with Austria he likened to those of Canada with Great Britain. The malcontent, he said, had no authority to speak for the Slavak people who generally accepted the Hungarian language and customs. In an excellent hall last night where other speakers, including Gov. Foss, former Gov. John D. Long and Secretary of the International peace society, Benjamin F. Trueblood, recalled the visit there more than half a century ago of the Hungarian patriot, Kossuth, Count Apponyi spoke again on world peace. His remarks followed closely those which he has made elsewhere.

White's most dramatic story, 'Conjuror's House,' Mr. Stanley will be seen in the role of 'Red Trent,' a free trader who, because his father has been sent to his death by the factor of particular trading post, has decided to avenge his parent and poaches in the Hudson bay territory for the purpose of securing the necessary proofs against the man whose life is to be the payment of the tribute by the factor, but he returns, is captured and informed that unless he becomes an employee of the post he will be sent on a long voyage, or into the wilderness without provisions or rifle, there to share the fate of his father. Trent refuses to become one of them and through the love of the factors daughter he secures the necessary firearms and escapes. His capture and final pardon are brought about through what are said to be scenes of fine dramatic construction. The locale being Northwestern Canada, permits of elaborate scenic settings which have been prepared by the mechanical staff employed at the Opera House. The first of the daily matinees next week will begin on Tuesday, when souvenir photographs of some member of the stock company will be given to every lady holding a reserved seat ticket. Seats are now on sale for all performances and the advance sale indicates a lively interest in the forthcoming production.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Next week's attraction at this popular little playhouse will be James Stevin's dramatization of Augustin Evans Wilson's famous novel, "St. Elmo," presented by the Donald Meek Stock Co. with Severin De Deyn. The majority of the theatre-going public is familiar with this charming story of life in the south, with its fearless type of men, its strong emotions, its delicious humor, and its absorbing love story, and it is doubtful if any novel written in the past decade has been so widely read as this beautiful story of the Tennessee, which tells of the great love of St. Elmo Murray for the poor little girl, Edna Earle. "St. Elmo" is essentially a comedy drama, the atmosphere and characters southern, and the scenes of the story laid in and around Lookout Mountain, Tennessee, during the Civil war period, consequently, the play affords a splendid opportunity for excellent stage settings.

Act one discloses a beautiful garden in the Tennessee mountains, act two depicts the interior of St. Elmo's home at Le Bogue four years later, act three the village church, one month later, and act four, a drawing room at Le Bogue one year later.

SEVERIN DE DEYN

Severin De Deyn will be seen in the title role, and it is doubtful if he has appeared to better advantage since his return to Lowell at the head of this popular organization of players. Miss Buck as Edna Earle, a beautiful, daring, courageous girl of the south of half a century ago, is seen at her best. She invests the character with a

CHARM THAT IS IRRESISTIBLE

Donald Meek, George J. Morgan, William Thompson, Tom Hall, James Davett, Ada Allen, Ninon Duval, and Doris Dutton, are all congenially cast, and a pleasing performance is assured. "St. Elmo" carries the audience back to the days of strife, when the south was struggling for her independence. In preparation, "Old Heidelberg."

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

One of these mysterious offerings which is not only marvellous in what it displays, but utilizing in the fathomable methods employed by the ar-

Husband of Lowell Woman Was Injured at Bridgeport

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 4.—Frank Payne, a young aviator of this city, who was to have made an exhibition flight at the Seaside park aerodrome today, lives in the Bridgeport hospital severely bruised and suffering from shock as the result of an accident to his Curtiss biplane that occurred late yesterday afternoon. His machine is a wreck, and it seems almost miraculous that the young aviator escaped with his life.

LOWELL GIRL IS THE WIFE OF THE INJURED AVIATOR

Mr. and Mrs. William Naylor of this city are the parents of Mrs. Payne, whose husband was injured at Bridgeport. Mrs. Naylor said she feared constantly there might be an accident when she learned that her son-in-law had become an aviator. Mrs. Naylor said her son-in-law made some aviation flights in New York, and the flight at Bridgeport she supposed was to be made today. Mr. Payne is about 30 years old. He is employed by his father, who is in the packing business in Willsboro, Pa. Miss Jennie E. Naylor and Frank Payne were married here about two years ago. Rev. George B. Dean, then pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church, officiating.

Mrs. Naylor believed that Mr. Payne was not dangerously hurt, as her daughter would have sent word by telegram, or would have telephoned to Lowell had he been.

He heads a strong and well balanced bill at the Merrimack Square theatre next week. Indeed, the program promises to be one of the best of the winter season.

COLONIAL THEATRE

It is a well balanced show that Mr. Dovey, the new lessee of the Colonial, is giving at his theatre for the last three days of this week. "Raleigh and Raleigh in 'Eva's Dabul,'" are a team of fun makers. The other acts are above the average. Dovey uses only licensed films, including those of the American Biograph and Pathé, and will produce them first in this city, getting them ahead of other theatres. The children should see the "Captivity of the Animals in Africa," that is being produced today, for it is a picture of greatest interest. Grand sacred concerts are to be given Sunday afternoon and evening.

CZAR OF RUSSIA To Finish Work Begun by Grandfather

ST. PETERSBURG, March 4.—In an imperial rescript published in the Imperial Gazette, Emperor Nicholas announces his intention to complete his grandfather's work for the emancipation of the serfs by transforming the peasants into not merely free but economically strong and owners. This may be achieved, the emperor says, by granting the peasants facilities to leave their manors, and by improvement in agricultural science.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

An act that will be very pleasing to the children, especially to the young, is the presentation of the world's most highly educated pony. This little animal performs all kinds of stunts such as spelling names, telling time and making change in dollars and cents from a cash register. Pallen is a clever trickster and will amuse with his funny mechanical figures. McIntire and Franklin Twiss sing and dance in a fascinating manner. There will be a concert on Sunday. The vaudeville features for Monday will include Dunn Bros. comedians and dancers; John B. Cooke & Co. in a comedy playlet, "Blinkie's Last Trick." McPhee & Hill, comedy aerial novelty act.

THEATRE VOYONS

Commencing Monday the Theatre Voyons will show a three-reel production of "The Two of Us," well known as its literary form, the novel by Charles Dickens. It has been read by thousands. It also has been played as a dramatic production under the title of "Sydney Carton and The Only Henry Miller" starring in the latter version. The three-reel production is one of the best made and tells the story in its

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BOSTON, March 4.—The legislative committee on the liquor law held sessions morning and afternoon at the state house yesterday and those the hearings on all the bills relative to the repeal of the bar and bottle bill and the classification of licenses proposition. Although the attendance was not large as the other day, when the committee heard the bill for the repeal of the bar and bottle bill, there was still comparatively little standing room in the chamber throughout the day.

Reclassification Bill Opposed

The reclassification bill was opposed by Rev. Dr. O. P. Gifford of Brookline for the Boston federation of churches, who opposed any repeal of the act of last year. He believed the act will diminish drunkenness.

LEADING DOCTOR Marries His \$17,000,000 Patient

NEW YORK, March 4.—For a second time Mrs. Julia Watt Morris Curtis, of Bridgeport, Conn., and New York, has married her physician. This time her choice has been Dr. George Alfred Lawrence, a native specialist of 675 Madison avenue, Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence are spending their honeymoon quietly in Philadelphia, after having been secretly married on Feb. 14 in Wilmington, Del.

THE IRISH LEAGUE

ARRANGING FOR BIG MEETING ON MARCH 19

The United Irish League will hold an important meeting in A. O. H. hall tomorrow evening for complete arrangements for the annual convention and demonstration on Sunday evening, March 19, in aid of the home rule cause. On the occasion one of the speakers will be Capt. Edward O'Meara Condon, connected with the office of supervising architect in the United States treasury department at Washington. His sacrifice as an Irish patriot are well known. The other speakers will be Mr. John O'Callaghan, national secretary of the United Irish League. There are no two other men living better informed on the Irish question than Messrs. Condon and O'Callaghan. There will be other attractive features on the program and altogether the meeting promises to be one of the best ever held in Lowell.

PITCHER COOKE WILL NOT PLAY BASEBALL ON SUNDAY

CHICAGO, March 4.—President Murphy took for a moral uplift among the members of the training squad when they return from the south. Cooke, the pitching recruit from Peoria, son of an Arkansas minister, is opposed to playing on Sunday and asked to be excused from Sabbath duty when he signed his contract. Both President Murphy and Manager Chance respected his wishes in the matter and granted his request. Cooke is expected to fill the gap made by Overall's refusal to play this season.

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HERE IT IS—THE TROUSERETTE SKIRT



A CREATION OF POIRET'S.

WOMEN in all states of the Union haven't succeeded in getting all their rights, the halberd and other elvish accessories, but the spring fashions have given them the trouserette skirt, which is a step, so the suffragettes think, in the right direction. Its creator, Paul Poiret of Paris, says that, "despite its very novel features, this costume is not likely to arouse criticism on the ground of immodesty." That's "going some," monsieur. But to describe the suit, the skirt is made of white dotted permo and the very chic little blouse of black stellienne.

THE CATECHISING WIFE

There is one variety of question which should never under any circumstances be asked of a husband—for instance, "If your mother and I were drowning, which would you save first?" Comment is needless.

Another best avoided is, "Am I the only woman you ever loved?"

If, as is most probable, you are not the wretched man for the sake of peace will probably—well, prevail. And if you really are, then, for pity's sake, let him keep the knowledge of such a calamity to himself.

Even the meekest of men object to being catechised as to their doings, asked where they are going and where they have been.

If you have so treated a man that he knows your interest in his concerns springs from real love and that absence of interrogation means not indifference, but complete trust, he will probably tell you all his affairs, but an oyster is a communicative beast compared to a man who finds his wife inquisitive.

A ridiculous question to ask a busy

man on his return from his day's work is, "Have you missed me, dear?" Of course he has not. He has had lots of other things to do. Still, it is well to remember that fads are of eccentric kinds and that no two men are alike. So if the particular man whom you wish to hold forever likes being questioned then, as Kipling says, "call it cheek, call it insolence, call it anything you like, but ask."

But be very careful before you begin that he really does like it, for "earth holds no balm for mistakes."

TO PREVENT CLOTHES FROM FADING.

When washing colored shirt waists too much care cannot be taken to guard against fading. It is well to know that a little alum used in rinsing water will prevent green wash fabrics from fading. A handful of salt in the rinsing water will set blue, and ox gall is good to use for gray and brown. For washing tan and brown linen hat water made by pouring boiling water over hay is an excellent preventive against fading.

Few housewives know that a tablespoonful of black pepper stirred into the first suds in which cottons are washed will prevent the colors from running. Five cents' worth of crystals of sugar of lead, which is poisonous, dissolved in a pailful of water establishes the tones of pinks, blues and lavenders. The garments should stay in the sugar of lead water half an hour before going to the tubs. Of course it is necessary to hang the garments out of the sun, and it is safest to dry any delicate colors in the house.

Vinegar is useful in reviving colors. A tablespoonful of common vinegar to each quart of rinsing water. Saturate the articles in this solution, wring tightly and then dry quickly. If the color has been taken out of silks by fruit stains ammonia will restore the tone.

A NECKTIE HOLDER.

A convenient and stylish holder for stocks and string ties, so much worn with shirtwaists, is made from a strip of suede or glazed leather thirty inches wide with one pointed end.

The case may be lined with a contrasting color or left unlined, as preferred. It is bound with inch wide ribbon to match, and a length of the ribbon is fastened to the point.

On the inside of the case, two inches from each end, is a band of colored silk elastic catstitched to the case at intervals of four inches. The stocks and ties are slipped under these bands and can be easily kept smooth on long trips if the case is not rolled too tightly.

IT COMES FROM PARIS.

Quite the newest thing in Paris is to have everything of the very simplest. Four simple but, of course, exquisitely served dishes take the place of the usual long dinner, and the table decoration consists of a crystal or cut glass bowl of violets. The effect is charming.

CHAT ON SUMMER STYLES

New Cotton Materials Rival Those of Silk in Beauty.

IN a recent fashion talk the following very pertinent paragraph appeared: "No woman can hope to be well dressed if she does not bring an analytical mind to her clothes and a retrospective one as well. No matter how simply a woman dresses, if she is well turned out you will find her upon intimate acquaintance a woman of settled convictions and wide knowledge about clothes for herself. She is not so specially able to talk about this new style or that epoch in clothes or the origin of fashion, but she is perfectly capable of telling you what her particular style is."

Now, in the spring, when purchasing one's gowns, it will be well to bear this advice in mind, for there are many features in the new modes suitable for the woman who studies herself. Avoid all kinds of clothes that are not becoming to you and your wardrobe is sure to be a successful one. It is high time to place orders with your tailor for spring walking suits, and if you want to be up in the front rank of fashion you will select as the material for one of these costumes a black silk and wool satin which is fifty-four inches wide and costs \$2.38 a yard, but five yards are sufficient for a suit, which brings the price of the satin to a small fraction less than \$15.

Many women, especially those with overplump figures, do not fancy satin as a dress fabric, declaring that the shiny surface accentuates their too too solid flesh, but in the silk and wool satin this objection does not hold good. There is only a slight luster, and that is not objectionable.

Mannish mixtures this season are particularly good style, and in these worsteds are to be found all the new

spring shades in light and heavy weights. Then there are vigorous suitings in tan and gray colorings that are mighty attractive and charming homespun in gray boucle effect at very reasonable prices. The Scotch suitings are, of course, imported and therefore a little more expensive than the domestic materials, but very smart suitings in this class are to be had for \$2.26 a yard.

Black and white checked effects are very much in evidence among the new goods, and they range in price from 38 cents up. That the maple effects are just as fashionable as ever goes without saying when I tell you that there are fifty (just think of it!) different designs in black and white tones. There are, too, delightful spring showings in broadcloth, collonnies, armures and cashmeres. For dressy wear the season's color is Helen pink, named in honor of the favorite nuance of the president's daughter just as popularity of Alice blue. The shade of the White House is a rather dull shade of old rose, with high lights of a pinkish hue. In the thin summer materials the Helen pink color is charming. And the frocks of these diaphanous fabrics are going to be more alluring than ever next summer. Marquisettes, both in silk and cotton weaves, are favorite

materials, the new bordered effects being wonderfully beautiful. Silk and wool velles are still favorite fabrics both for suits and gowns, and there is a fascinating new texture, bronette mistrell, that comes in all colors. Black mistrell made over a pale cerise foundation is the last cry and is not expensive, being only \$1.78 a yard and measuring forty-five inches in width.

One hardly knows where to begin a description of the new cotton materials which this season rival silks in beauty and popularity. For example, there is a half silk foulard that washes well to be bought for 33 cents a yard and silk and cotton pongees and a Jacquard pongee at the same price. There are cotton velles with satin stripes at less than 50 cents a yard and an immense variety in English printed velles, together with French tussies in empire stripes. Indeed, one really wants a frock from each of these charming materials.

In robe dresses one may find exquisite ready to put on models in baby and heavy Irish lace from \$19 to \$30 and a delectable embroidered and braided robe of black chiffon cloth to mount over a satin slip. Then if you would like to purchase a half made frock look at the bordered batiste flouncings, with plain material to match, and narrow waist embroidery. A handsome cream batiste embroidered in drift blue is marked \$10 and is cheap at the price.

It is well to know that inexpensive little guimpes are to be had ready made in cream, white and black of fine brussels net. They are lined with mousseline de sole, and cuffs of the same material as the guimpe may be bought if desired.

ALL ABOUT THE HOUSE

Most people throw away boot polish when it gets hard through the lid being left off. Don't do this, but save the polish and place it on top of the stove, where it can gradually soften.

A COOKING HINT.

Whenever you are baking cookies pin a piece of muslin over the bread board, stretching it tight. Flour the muslin well, and you can roll the dough as soft and thin as you please. A piece of muslin around the rolling pin is still another improvement.

THE MILK BOTTLE.

Milk bottles are washed most easily if filled with cold water and emptied. Later rinse with soap and water and then with scalding water.

FOR WASHING SILVER.

For washing silver put a half teaspoonful of ammonia into hot suds. Wash quickly, using a small brush. Rinse in hot water and dry with a clean linen towel, then rub dry with

a chamol skin. Washed in this manner silver becomes brilliant and requires no polishing with any of the powders or whiting usually employed.

THE PROPER SIZED BROOM.

A heavy broom should be chosen for thorough sweeping in preference to a light one for the weight adds to the pressure. To test a new broom press the edge against the floor. If the straw brittle out and bend the broom is a poor one and should be rejected. They should remain in a firm, solid mass.

TO REMOVE GREASE.

To remove grease from garments dissolve a teaspoonful of salt in four tablespoonfuls of alcohol, shake well and apply with a sponge.

FOR OSTRICH FEATHERS.

Sprinkle salt over hot coals and shake your damp uncured ostrich feathers over the fumes and the tendrils will curl up smartly.

THE COLLAPSIBLE SEWING STAND



THE LATEST IN SEWING OUTFITS.

THERE are many novelties in sewing boxes and stands on the market, but perhaps the most complete and handy is the one illustrated. It consists of two sections and is made of heavy green crash tacked over a frame measuring five and a half by two and a half feet. On the inside are little brass hooks and a collapsible shelf covered with cretonne, and two large pockets at the bases are also of the cretonne. A small pocket at the top for odds and ends of sewing is convenient, and then the button bag, the needlebook and pin cushion are all made of the dainty red and green toned cretonne.

DEVELOPING A CHARACTER

The late Frances E. Willard said: "There are so many kinds of beauty after which one may strive that we are bewildered by the bare attempt to remember them. There is beauty of manner, of utterance, of achievement, of reputation, of character. Any one of these outweighs beauty of person, even in the scales of society, to say nothing of celestial values."

"Cultivate most of the kind that lasts longest. The beautiful face with nothing back of it lacks the staying qualities that are necessary to those who would be winners in the race of life. It is not the first milepost, but the

last, that tells the story; not the outward bound steed, but the one on the home stretch that we hail as victor."

Therefore it will pay every woman who has her appearance at heart to give heed to the effect of the mind on the body. She should cultivate those charms of mind which reflect that there is such a connection between mind and body there is no question.

An ill natured frame of mind shows plainly in the face and is not beautiful. On the other hand, a sunny and bright disposition lends a charm to the plainest features.

Don'ts For Stout Women

The stout woman must not "slump." Her one safeguard is an erect carriage—head up, chest up, abdomen in. This wards off the fleshy back.

Nor must she permit herself to relax. Negligence, comfort and down at the heel attire are not for her. She should keep trim though she nearly passes away with heat and discomfort.

She must watch her manners, particularly her table manners. She may not take liberties with her elbows, top over the table or eat carelessly. Daintiness is essential if she would not be repulsive.

The stout woman must train herself to light walking. Nothing shows her weight like dragging her feet and clumping heavily.

She must discriminate in styles. Put her in a bicorne hat, peasant waist and chancicler colorings and she need not be surprised at criticism.

She must learn to take life quietly. Excitement, rushing and temper are conducive to apoplexy and do not improve looks.

She must be dignified. It moves the onlooker to tears to see the stout woman full of airs and graces and kitchen coyness. Her dignity should not, however, interfere with joviality. The hearty laugh is a half mark of avoidance.

Beyond all she must wear good corsets and learn how to put them on. It makes just the difference between mountains of flesh and a trim stylish figure a trifle too large, but not repellant.

THE SPOILT KINDNESS OF SOME WOMEN.

Do you know the woman who always spoils a kind action by surrounding it with a sort of charity atmosphere?

"I took poor Miss A. to a matinee the other day. She so seldom gets a treat." Or "I think I'll ask Mrs. B. to my party. She knows, so few nice people that it will be quite a change for her."

This variety of "kind lady" will call on a newcomer who has been rather cold shouldered by other residents of the town, but the whole thing is spoiled by her manner of condescension.

Sometimes it is very difficult for this type of woman to cure herself of her patronizing manner, because most probably she is not aware that she is in the least patronizing, but labors under the delusion that she is simply "gracious."

It is not a good plan to allow oneself to get into this frame of mind, for aside from the fact that it is rather unkind to be always supposing that other people are inferior the woman who adopts the semi-patronizing attitude very often ends by making herself ridiculous.

LAUNDERING EMBROIDERY.

Mercedized cottons, especially the white, wash better than embroidery silks. No matter how good a silk you buy it will not stand having soap rubbed upon it. Hot water is equally injurious. So is ironing with a too hot iron.

Make a thick suds of warm water and pure soap and rinse the pieces to be washed. Squeeze through the hands and do not rub on a board.

Rinse in clear water of the same temperature as the first. Squeeze out as much as possible of the moisture with the hands and do not rub on a board. Pull into shape and roll in a thick towel to absorb the excess water. Then take a smooth piece of damp muslin and place it over the back of the embroidery and do the ironing through that.

AN ECONOMY TIP.

It is well to have your sheets and tablecloths folded widthways occasionally instead of lengthways, as this prevents the fold from always coming in the same place and thus causing that place to wear out first.

THE HEIGHT OF WAIST HARMONY



CYCLAMEN VELVET AND SILVER LACE COMBINED.

ARTISTIC and beautiful is the combination of colors used in this imported evening waist. Silver lace with just a touch of cyclamen colored velvet—could a color scheme be more charming? The foundation of the model is of the coarse silver net, and the fitted bodice is of heavier silver lace. The short kimono sleeves are edged with silver fringe. A heavy silver cord ornament studded with rhinestones, through which the velvet is drawn, was a happy inspiration of the dress artist. A new French feature is the side sash of silver net edged with ball fringe.

THE THIMBLE BICENTENNIAL

Who of all the women busy over their sewing know that the thimble, or, as our German cousins picturesquely call it, the "finger hat," might, if so minded, have celebrated its two hundredth birthday last year? For it was just about 200 years ago that a London goldsmith named Trotting made and presented to the lady of his heart on her birthday a thimble of gold beautifully ornamented and chased, accompanied by a note which introduced the little contraption as a "token of my humble esteem, which shall protect those delicate, fair and industrious fingers from prick and scar of needle head."

Until that day sewing had been a real task, painful and laborious, and attended with occasional bloodshed. The novel birthday gift was consequently much appreciated and so admired by the recipient's friends that

the goldsmith was kept busy and was made independently rich by the demand for more thimbles. The new implements made in imitation of his were of iron, silver or gold elaborately ornamented and often jeweled. They were worn, as indeed their name implies, on the thumb.

HINTS ON CARVING.

To carve a fowl remove a slice of the breast on either side of the breast bone; next cut off the wings, then the legs, cutting through the joint at the back and separating the drumstick from the remainder of the leg, and finally divide the back in two.

All game birds are carved practically in the same way as a chicken, only remember that with a woodcock some people consider the back the best part, others the thigh.



DESSERTS MADE FROM CANNED FRUITS

Peach delight is a delicious dessert that can be made with canned peaches. Put in a glass dish alternate layers of the halves of canned peaches with the hollow side down, together with halves of macaroons. Stale lady fingers or sponge cake cut in small pieces are nice mixed with the macaroons. When the dish is filled pour over the contents the peach syrup and set in a cold place. When ready to serve heap whipped cream or meringue on top, sprinkled with a few chopped nuts.

Pineapple Pudding Cold—Put in a double boiler a quart of milk to scald. Then mix together a half cupful of cornstarch and quarter cupful of granulated sugar, with a pinch of salt. Stir in the hot milk, mixing thoroughly. Return to the double boiler and stir and cook until the mixture is the consistency of a creamy custard. Let this cook uncovered for a quarter of an hour, stirring every now and then. Remove from the fire, cool slightly, add a teaspoonful of vanilla and the whites of three eggs and half a can of grated or chopped pineapple. Turn in a mold and set away to harden. Serve with rich cream.

Apricot soufflé is made by separating the apricots from the syrup. Cut the fruit in quarters and arrange closely together in the bottom of a well but-

tered baking dish. Pour over the fruit a sauce made in this way: Cream together three tablespoonfuls of butter and a quarter of a cupful of granulated sugar. Pour the hot milk over this, mix well, then pour over the flour and butter, stirring until all the ingredients are thoroughly mixed. When cool fold in the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff, dry foam. Bake in a slow oven for about thirty-five minutes and serve immediately.

Pear croquettes are mighty good served with chocolate sauce. For this dessert drain a can of Bartlett pears very dry. Dip them in fine dry cake or brown breadcrumbs, then in beaten egg and again in crumbs and fry them quickly in deep hot fat. Serve hot with the sauce. For the sauce take a cupful of pear juice and put in a saucepan with half a cupful of sugar, a tablespoonful of cornstarch, two squares of unsweetened chocolate and a small piece of butter. Add a pinch of salt and cook about ten minutes.

Orange, lemon or pineapple juice stiffened with gelatin is soon converted into a large mold or individual molds and the fruit and chopped nuts mixed with the jelly as it begins to harden. A most attractive dessert may be made in this way, using different kinds of fruit.

A Smart Turban For the Spring.



IN BLACK AND WHITE COLORINGS

SO practical and becoming is the turban that women will not let Mme. La Mode strike it off her list of styles, consequently we have it among the spring millinery. The natty little turban illustrated is of panama straw faced with black velvet. Around the crown is draped a black and white checked sash, which is tied in a rather large pump bow at the left side.

BARON PATERNO VISITED NEWTON NEW YORK CITY TO HAVE NEW CHARTER

Always Brutally Treated the Princess

ROME, March 4.—All Rome still is talking of the sensational murder on Thursday of the Princess Giulia Trivona di Santella, the queen's lady-in-waiting by Lieutenant Baron Paterno. Not in many years has the capital been so stirred by a sordid crime.

Paterno late last night was still slowly improving. The bullet which he fired with the intention of killing himself is still imbedded in his skull. Although he is conscious and able to talk, he has refused to give any explanation as to why he stabbed and killed the woman who had befriended him.

The police, however, are not averse to showing what their investigations are unfolding. They say they show that Paterno treated the woman brutally before he finally encompassed her taking off. The princess, frail and unhappy with her husband, they allege, fell easy prey to the rapacious nobleman whose scandalous adventures had brought him to the threshold of expulsion from the army.

According to the police Paterno met the princess in 1908 at Palermo. He became the friend also of the prince. The friendship between the two men became so great that Paterno had himself made head of the local mafia and it is reported also that the prince returning home one night from a meeting of the municipal council, found his wife and Paterno together. Enraged, the prince fired upon Paterno, but missed his mark and Paterno escaped.

When Queen Helena was informed of the relations existing between Paterno and the princess, she called the princess before her and induced her to confess everything. Throwing herself at the feet of the queen and crying out in her desperation, the princess took oath that she would break with Paterno, begin like anew and henceforth devote her life to being an attentionate mother to her two little daughters.

From this moment, according to the authorities, Paterno, seeing his prey about to escape, became furious in his actions toward the princess and several times ordered scenes even within the Quirinal itself, shouting: "I shall murder you; I shall strangle you here in the royal palace, amid the ladies of the court, next to the queen."

Paterno's demands for money; it is said, became more and more imperative and once it is alleged he even attacked the princess in the ante-chamber to the room in which were the king and queen. The princess in defending herself on this occasion had her bracelet broken, and this Paterno picked up and put in his pocket. Then he left her, still threatening.

The patrimony of the princess, because of her loans or gifts to Paterno, is said to have been reduced to \$160 a month.

When the tragedy occurred the two daughters of the murdered woman were driving out in a court carriage. When they returned to the Quirinal they asked, as was their custom, for their mother. No one had the heart to tell them the truth, so they were informed that the princess had met with an automobile accident and that her return to the palace therefore would be delayed. Two looks of hair were cut yesterday from the head of the dead woman and later will be given to her children.

A postmortem examination yesterday showed that the princess was first wounded in the back and then in the neck. Either of the wounds would have been mortal. On the left arm also were found two slight wounds.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned, wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for the acts of kindness, words of sympathy and the many floral offerings which in a way lightened the burden of grief cast upon them at the death of their devoted wife and their beloved mother, Mrs. Bridget Nutter.

(Signed)
Mr. Michael Nutter and Family.

Contagious Hospital There Was Inspected

The members of the contagious hospital committee visited the Newton General hospital and contagious annex, the Haines Memorial Homeopathic contagious hospital, and the Corey Hill hospital, in Brookline, yesterday afternoon.

The Newton General hospital was the first visited by the committee and later the committee was shown through the contagious annex.

The Haines Homeopathic contagious hospital in Brookline was next visited. This is absolutely modern in every respect, built of steel girders and of reinforced concrete. The floors are of mosaic, and the building is absolutely fire and germ proof in every particular. There are 150 beds in the hospital.

Many cases of scarlet fever were found in this hospital, about 70 altogether, with but 16 cases of diphtheria. At the Newton contagious hospital there were 16 cases of scarlet fever and none of diphtheria.

At Newton the city erected the three buildings of the contagious annex, the administration building and a building each for diphtheria and scarlet fever. A tuberculosis ward was established at one time, but this was discontinued.

The arrangement of sun rooms at the Corey Hill hospital in Brookline was greatly admired. However, the Haines Memorial hospital pleased the members of the commission the most, and from it they received many points which will later be incorporated in the local contagious hospital.

PRESIDENT TAFT

Saw a New Moon in the Heavens

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Having abandoned hope of seeing reciprocity passed by the present congress, President Taft late yesterday after returning from his usual long afternoon walk, declared that he had noticed the setting sun, but that he also had seen a new moon in the heavens. The president has not yet decided when he will issue his proclamation calling the new congress together, nor has the date been fixed.

Despite the fact that the measure which above all others he desired to pass at this session, did not become law, the president was rejoicing last night over the large number of bills he favored which have been passed.

The judiciary codification bill, he considers one of the most important additions to the legal procedure of the country passed in the last half century. The provision for the fortification of the Panama canal was particularly pleasing to him.

Much has been accomplished by the present session, he feels, which will be of lasting benefit to the country. He had no unkind words for the dying congress because it could not see its way clear to pass the reciprocity measure. He is waiting for the "new moon" of the coming congress to fulfill his desires in that direction.

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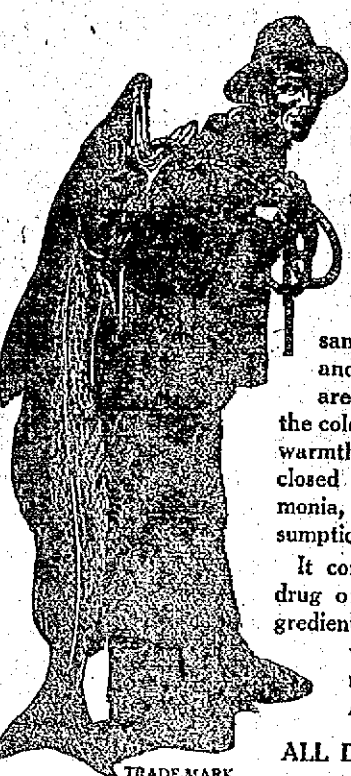
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NEW YORK CITY TO HAVE NEW CHARTER AIMING TO WIPE OUT GRAFT



NEW YORK, Mar. 4.—A determined

movement by some of the leading citizens and members of the state legislature to provide a new charter for New York city will, if the intentions of these men are fulfilled, reconstruct and radically reform the city government.

The need for reform, the participants in this movement assert, is evidenced by the fact that the entire real indebtedness of the city is about \$1,000,000,000; also that graft in some of the municipal departments is huge. One of the objects of the charter makers is to amend the building laws more radically regarding tenements and to provide a means for wiping out as many of the disease breeding rookeries of the east side as possible. The state charter commission appointed by the legislature in 1909, with Assemblyman Frederick W. Hammond of Syracuse as chairman, has framed a franchise for the city which does not meet the approval of heads of the city government. Mayor William J. Gaynor, who states that he would like to draw the city charter himself, has taken up the subject with members of the board of estimate and apportionment and with William M. Ivins, former candidate for

mayor, who was chairman of the previous charter committee. The Ivins charter, drawn by that committee and which was discarded by the legislative committee, abolished the board of aldermen and reduced the number of members of the board of education. Assemblyman James A. Foley, chairman of the cities committee of the assembly, is now working on chapters to be proposed for the new charter, and his experience as legislator will be of material aid to those who desire to put the government of the city on a purely business basis. The need of reform in the board of education is shown by the resignation of James Creelman, the famous writer and war correspondent, who says, "I invite attention to the loose way in which the board of education votes on matters involving millions and to the fact that, although it spends \$26,000,000 of the people's money in a year, its affairs, books and matters of accountability never have been thoroughly investigated because the board has separate corporate powers and assumes to be independent of the regular budget making and fiscal authorities of the city." Mayor Gaynor, following Mr. Creelman's criticism, has drawn a provision making the board of

education directly under the control of the mayor, and he has asked Mr. Creelman to work with him on the charter. The entire city government will be centralized, according to the Gaynor plan, taking much authority away from various officials, such as borough presidents, etc., and placing it with the mayor. The Gaynor idea is that the mayor should in effect be "king of the city." Another object of the charter framers is to take the police department of over 7000 men out of politics, if possible. The tenement house reform provisions will be based on the report of the New York city commission on congestion of population, which has just been made public. The causes of overcrowded tenements are stated by the commission to be the following: Lack of a definite city plan; the present system of taxation under which until recently the owner of the land improved with buildings has been penalized, while the man who holds lands out of use so that he may secure the speculative increases of land value has been helped by the taxator to distribute and control immigrants, for housing purposes; methods of public and private charities, but especially of

HENRY S. BOUTELL INDICTMENTS

The New Minister to Portugal

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Henry S. Boutell of Illinois, nominated by President Taft to be minister to Portugal, vice Henry T. Gage, resigned, has long been a member of congress. He was defeated for renomination last year. The appointment of a minister to Portugal at this time does not mean



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May Break Up Republican Machine

CINCINNATI, March 4.—The investigation of the grand jury into the alleged misdoings of some of the political celebrities of Hamilton county threatens to break up the republican organization headed by George B. Cox, and which has had a dominating influence in the government of Cincinnati



GEORGE B. COX
AUGUST WERREMAN

that the United States will immediately recognize Portugal as a republic, according to the state department. It is held by the department that there is only a de facto government in Portugal and that the appointing of a new minister does not automatically recognize the country as a power. It was pointed out that Mr. Boutell probably would not go to Portugal until after May and that during that month the constituency of Portugal will decide for themselves whether the present regime and form of government are to be continued. None of the European countries has recognized Portugal as a republic, according to the state department.

THE DEMOCRATS

TO CAUCUS IF EXTRA SESSION IS CALLED

WASHINGTON, March 4.—At an informal conference of democratic representatives yesterday, Representative Clayton of Alabama, chairman of the caucus, was authorized to call a caucus of democratic representatives of the congress immediately upon a call for an extra session, if the president should issue such a call. The caucus will perfect the house organization, including the election of Representative Clark of Missouri as speaker. The committee selections will not be made at that time. The caucus will be held the day preceding the convening of an extra session, if such be called for March 10 or thereabouts. If congress should not be called to convene for a month yet, the caucus would be held at 10 a. m. two days before the extra session, or three days before if necessary, to avoid meeting on Sunday.



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READING ROOM

For Children Has Many Real Advantages

The children's department of the City Library is proving to be quite a success and is a great aid to the children. It is situated in a large room in the basement of the Memorial Hall. This department contains over 3000 books suitable for the different ages. Popular among the books for the little tots are Caldecott's, noted for their simple rhymes and striking pictures. Also of great importance to the child are the Palmer G. Brownie books, and not least of are the Puzzle books.

One feature of special interest is the new French picture and song books, the illustrations by B. DeMonvel, a noted illustrator being most attractive and beautiful. "Chantez Petites" and "Sous le vent" are the ones largely called for.

The opportunity is afforded the child of selecting the book desired from the shelves themselves, and the child is found largely selects books advised by the teacher. This department owing to the large scope in reading matter, which it otherwise would not be able to secure, is of great advantage.

Especially attractive to the eye of the child are the covers of the picture books, the coloring being striking and brilliant. While new, the books are left uncovered, but when they begin to lose their freshness a cover is put on to preserve them.

From picture books the children progress to simple readers and primers, with color illustrations and all sorts of devices to make them interesting. Later on they call for stories from the Arabian Nights, Fairy Tales, classics, all arranged in a simplified manner to suit their respective ages. With the girls Beatrix Potter is a favorite author, Louisa M. Alcott still remains popular and Miss Annie Fellows Johnson is much called for. The boys call for school and college stories, histories and books by Charles Charlton Coffin; also books from the following series "Fifty Famous Stories," stories of Great Americans for Little Americans," by Edward Eggleston and Horace C. Scudder's Folk stories. The Little Cousin series is also very popular.

Owing to two kinds of books, one of fiction and one non-fiction being allowed to be taken out at a time on one card, a wider range in reading has been gained, for histories are now often taken out together with a book of fiction.

Last Saturday, 355 children, attended during the day and 179 books were given out. The largest number since the beginning of this department to at-

tend at one time was one day last December when 408 were counted and the room at that time was crowded. Frequently 70 can be counted at the tables which are then pretty well crowded. The ages of the children attending range from 13 to 16 years, yet many who are older, but have grown up here and are now going to high school, or working, often come in knowing that they will be able to obtain what they wish as they know practically what books are there.

The children are very quiet and orderly and it is interesting to note that as the books, which are returned by the table, some little helper will quietly come forward and lay them in neat piles. They also pick up from the floor any scattered paper or place in position anything out of its place.

Miss Bertha G. Kyle has charge of this department and is much thought of by the children who attend. She is always ready to assist them. She is assisted at times by other members of the staff when she requires help. There is no doubt that the children's department is a great help to children. The interested faces of the children as they choose from the well-filled bookshelves, ranged around the room speak the enjoyment this department affords.

GOVERNOR DIX GIRL SHOT MAN

Issues Statement on Senatorial Situation

NEW YORK, March 4.—A statement from Governor John A. Dix, addressed to the democratic members of the legislature, rehearsing what has happened in the senatorial fight, and advising them now to ballot "as your consciences and the will of your constituents may dictate" was given out here last night.

The statement was as follows: "To the democratic members of the legislature: "Soon after the last election I publicly announced that I would interfere with the legislature in the choice of a senator. . . . But the present unprecedented and divided condition of the party's councils, in regard to the choice of a senator, is preventing the exercise of the constitutional duty which rests upon the legislature. "Under these exceptional and peculiar circumstances I may properly advise you what in my opinion the present critical situation demands the elimination of extra-constitutional obstacles to the important duty resting on the legislature."

"When Mr. Sheehan became the choice of the caucus I felt that he was entitled, within reasonable limits

GIRL SHOT MAN

She Claimed That He Betrayed Her

NEW YORK, March 4.—Less than an hour after she had shot and probably fatally wounded her alleged betrayer, Maria Adagnolo, 22 years old, was found by the police calmly eating a hearty supper at her home last night. She made no attempt, the police say, to deny that she shot Giuseppe Orsini, who, she alleged, had betrayed her and married another. "Yes, I shot him," she asserted over and over again, according to the police. "I am glad of it, too, and I hope he dies."

The man was shot four times on a street corner in the east side, where the girl had made an appointment to meet him.

When brought to Orsini's cot in a hospital, the girl was surprised to find that the man denied that she shot him. "No," Orsini replied, "she didn't shoot me."

"If I didn't," broke in the girl, "who did?"

"Don't get yourself in wrong," Orsini cautioned her, and fell back in semi-consciousness from the pain of his wounds. He has no chance of recovery.

"KNOCKOUT" BROWN BOARD OF HEALTH

Won the Decision Over Ad Orders Tenement Vacated in
Wolgast, World's Champion Worthen Street

NEW YORK, March 4.—Valentine (Knock-Out) Brown, the tow-headed little New York lightweight, gained a popular decision over "Ad" Wolgast, the world's lightweight champion in a slashing 10-round bout last night at the National Sporting club of America. Three weeks ago Brown fought Wolgast at Philadelphia, and the crowd of 2000 which saw him fight last night voted him a victory. The law does not allow a formal decision.

Brown forced the fighting from the start and on the whole gave more punishment than he received.

In the clinches Wolgast showed superior ringmanship with his in-fighting. His tactics were so rough, however, that they brought hisses from the spectators.

Neither man was in distress at any time during the bout and no blood was drawn. In the fast round Brown was backing toward the ropes as Wolgast rushed him. They clinched and rolled through the ropes together and Brown would have fallen from the ring had not a cluster of hands shoved him back.

The usual crowd of sporting celebrities witnessed the bout and every available inch of the clubhouse was packed.

First round—Both boys opened up fast with Brown right to the jaw of the two. They clinched often and Wolgast pounded Brown's kidneys viciously. Brown had to force the fighting and sent several hard ones to the face.

Round two—Brown jarred Wolgast with a right to the jaw. They clinched and Wolgast got in a misty right to Brown's nose. Brown rocked him after the break and followed up a strong right to the jaw with a rain of blows to the head. The crowd cheered madly. Although Wolgast rallied toward the end it was Brown's round.

Round three—They sparred carefully and clinched often. Wolgast working his uppercuts hard as they held on. Brown missed a hard swing to the jaw and landed two light ones to the face. They were in a clinch at the bell.

Round four—Brown rushed the fighting with a left to the jaw. He followed this with a left to the face, but missed a right swing that would have done damage. He was forcing the fighting, with Wolgast covering up. In the break-aways, however, the champion almost invariably worked in a jarring uppercut. Brown put in one over Wolgast's right eye and they went to a clinch as the gong sounded.

Round five—Brown put a hard left to the wind. In a clinch Wolgast shook Brown with three quick jabs to the face and was hissed by the crowd when he repeatedly banged with his elbow. Brown rushed into a clinch and Wolgast again used the kidney blow effectively. The crowd cheered when Brown landed a right and left to the face in quick succession. He missed another wild swing and they

clinched again. Wolgast was roughing it amid hisses at the bell.

Round six—Brown put a nasty one to the wind. They clinched and Wolgast pounded the kidneys. They clinched again and roughed it from corner to corner. Wolgast missed to the head, but got a nasty upper cut. He stumbled and fell on his knees, as Brown rushed him into the ropes. Brown put a hard one over the heart at the break and they clinched again, with Wolgast roughing it at the break. Brown put a hard one to the champion's mouth and they went to a clinch. Both boys were strong at the bell, with more than half the bout over.

Round seven—Wolgast sparred cautiously. Brown rushed and landed two nasty ones on the face. Wolgast retaliated with a stinger on Brown's left ear. They went to a clinch and Wolgast put a half dozen to the body, then ripped three hard ones to the face. Again the crowd hissed him for his rough tactics. Brown put a stiff one to the champion's jaw, but took body punishment in the break. They clinched and Brown pushed Wolgast to the ropes at the round's end.

Round eight—Brown shot a hard left to the champion's mouth. They clinched and the champion landed a clean one on Brown's head as they broke. Wolgast missed a vicious swing to the jaw and Brown rushed into the ropes with an equal exchange of blows until they clinched, when Wolgast uppercut both right and left to Brown's face. Both were rather wild and Wolgast missed twice to the head.

Round nine—Brown rushed Wolgast to his corner, then slipped and fell to his knees. Wolgast took the aggressive and landed a hard one over the heart. He continued his damaging in-fighting in the clinches, pounding Brown's kidneys until the blows resounded through the arena. Brown put a hard left to the champion's head. Wolgast came back with a right over the heart and jarred Brown's head with a left. They were about to clinch at the bell.

Round ten—Brown started the tenth with a rush but both boys were careful and quickly came to a clinch. Wolgast ripped a nasty one up Brown's arm. Brown shot back with a right to the head with a left and rushed him to the ropes. Wolgast missed two swings to the head, both right and left. As they clinched he was hissed again for roughing. They seasawed about the ring until Brown ripped a left to the face. Wolgast came back with a hard left below the heart and pushed Brown to the ropes. Brown stumbled and fell outside the ring, but was pushed back by spectators just as the final bell rang.

Had a Milk Dealer Up for Unclean Methods—Other Matters Acted Upon

All the members of the board of health were present at their regular meeting which was held at city hall at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Considerable business was transacted besides approving the regular monthly bills.

Action on the Walsh stable matter which received a threatening out at the last meeting, on complaint of Martin Flaherty, came up. Mr. Osgood moved that the stalls and cellar be connected with the sewer, that no sweepings be kept in the cellar but in receptacles, and that the said receptacles be kept not less than 35 feet from the Flaherty home, and be emptied at least once every other week. The motion was adopted.

Mary Cheney Allard petitioned for a license to establish a maternity hospital at 1090 Bridge street. It was voted to grant the permit.

Vasillos Vasalakos appeared before the board to answer the charge of maintaining a milk depot in an unclean and unhealthy condition. The report of the inspectors showed that the bottles were washed in dirty water, that wooden trays were used, and that the boiler to wash bottles, which the chairman declared "to be fit for a junk heap," was lined with grease, and that Vasalakos used stoppers bearing the name of George J. Prairie.

The board advised the milk dealer that if he said boiler be found in his place of business today he would lose his license.

Mr. Osgood stated that when he visited the place, a man was carrying water from the shed in pails and emptying it into the gutter on the outside. Vasalakos denied that he got the water from the watering trough, but said that there was a leak in the pipe and the plumber who was doing the repairs was the man who carried the water from the sink.

Dr. Brunelle said that the roof of the place is in a bad condition. When it rains the water streams over the bottles.

Vasalakos promised to reform conditions at his place of business in Moody street, and he was given 24 hours to clean up the place or his license will be revoked.

Inspector Connors gave a report on the condition of the property numbered 8 and 10 in the rear of 729 Worthen street. He said the cellar is in a filthy condition. The closets on the first and second floors were in a bad condition. He had found old mattresses in the attic. He said he notified the owner on Jan. 15, and the latter had agreed to fix it up.

The board viewed the premises before the meeting and saw for themselves the condition of the place. They found the cellar filled with ice and refuse. The kitchen on the first floor was ornamented with icicles of different dimensions and refuse of all sorts. The water pipe in the sink had burst and the water flooded the room and the cellar. The closets on the first and second floors had frozen up. The upper part of the house is being occupied by eight or ten men who seem to be quite at home despite the condition of the place. They claim they pay \$8 per month for rent.

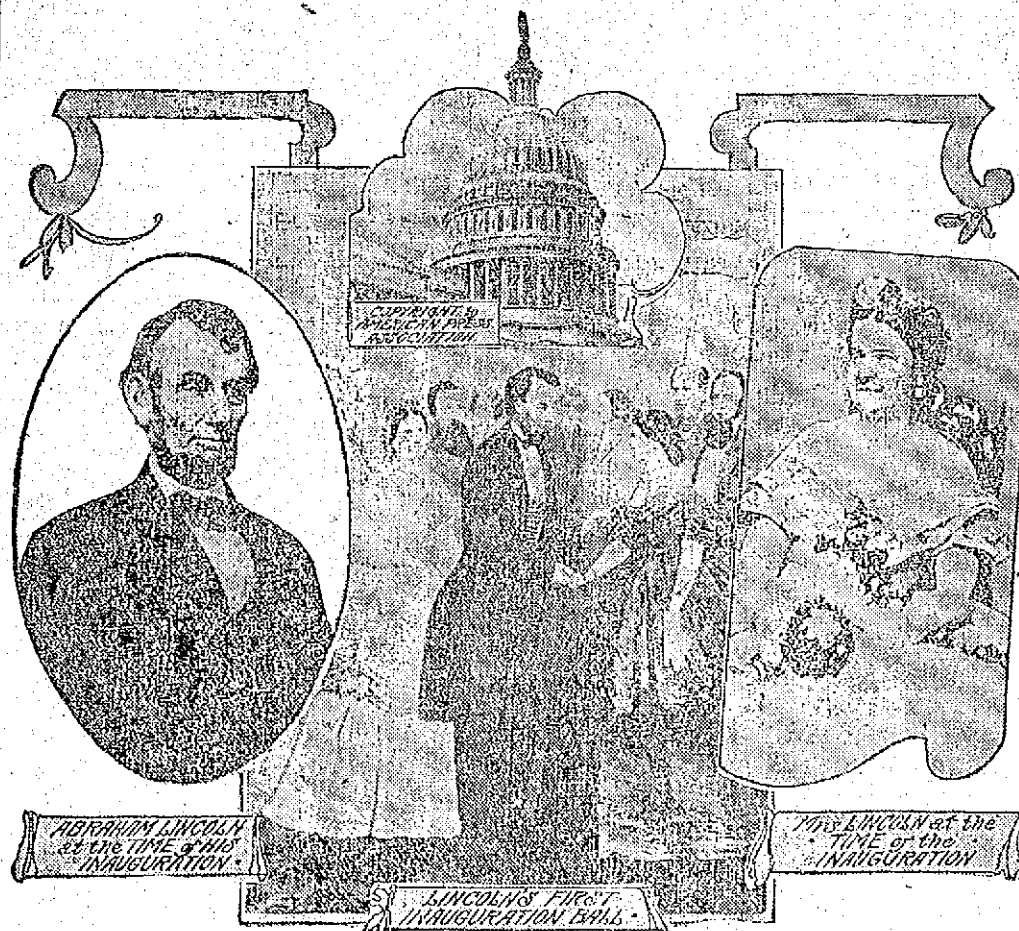
On motion of Mr. Osgood it was voted to order the premises vacated.

CARD OF THANKS.

To our many kind friends and neighbors we take this means of expressing our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and words of condolence extended to us in the loss of our beloved daughter, Margaret, and also to those who sent floral offerings. To all we are deeply grateful and promise that their kindness will never be forgotten by us.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bagshaw.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN INAUGURATED AS PRESIDENT FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY



WASHINGTON, March 4.—Today marks the close of an even half century since the momentous March 4 when Abraham Lincoln was inaugurated president of the United States. The inaugural ceremonies took place, as usual, on the east portico of the capitol.

Mr. Lincoln, Chief Justice Roger B. Taney, who administered the oath of office; Stephen A. Douglas, when he had defeated; James Buchanan, the retiring president; and other eminent men occupied a raised platform built of planks, under which was stationed a company of soldiers. About noon, President Buchanan arrived at Willard's hotel in his carriage and called for the president elect, who was staying there. Mr. Lincoln entered the vehicle, sitting beside the retiring president on the drive along Pennsylvania avenue to the capitol. All along the route soldiers were stationed. Even on the roofs of houses troops with bristling musket barrels were seen. This precaution had been taken because of long continued rumors that an attempt would be made to assassinate Mr. Lincoln.

EXTRACTS FROM LINCOLN'S INAUGURAL SPEECH

Why should there not be a patient confidence in the ultimate justice of the people? Is there any better or equal hope in the world? In our present differences, is either party without faith of being in the right? If the Almighty Ruler of nations, with his eternal truth and justice, be on your side of the north or on yours of the south, that truth and that justice will surely prevail by the judgment of this great tribunal of the American people.

I hold that in contemplation of universal law and of the constitution the Union of these states is perpetual. Perpetuity is implied, if not expressed, in the fundamental law of all national governments. It is safe to assert that no government proper ever had a provision in its organic law for its own termination. Continue to execute all the express provisions of our national constitution and the Union will endure forever.

I am loath to close. We are not enemies, but friends. Though passion may have strained, it must not break our bonds of affection. The mystic chords of memory, stretching from every battlefield and patriot grave to every living heart and hearthstone all over this broad land, will yet swell the chorus of the Union when again touched, as surely they will be, by the better angels of our nature.

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GETS A DIVORCE BOARD OF CHARITIES

Court Grants Lowell Man's Petition

George Gutknecht, of Lowell, a former member of the German army, was granted a divorce from his wife, Julie, whom he accused of unfaithfulness, his own brother being the co-respondent, by Judge Quinn in the East Cambridge divorce court yesterday.

Mrs. Gutknecht admitted that Adolph, her husband's brother, had been in her room, but that he had simply come in for the purpose of taking the children out to walk.

Mrs. Cecilia Ortel, a neighbor of the Gutknechts, said that Mrs. Gutknecht had come to her, saying that she was in trouble and had done wrong. Mrs. Ortel advised her, she said, to confess to her husband and ask his forgiveness, but that instead of doing so Mrs. Gutknecht had gone to the home of her mother.

Attorney Tierney declared in his argument to Judge Quinn that it was nothing more than an attempt on the part of the members of Gutknecht's family to get rid of the daughter-in-law.

Judge Quinn said he believed that

Takes Up the Question of Adopting New Rules

The members of the board of charities met at city hall last night and for three hours discussed various matters pertaining to the charity department. New rules which it is expected will be adopted by the board were read and commented upon. It was decided to have copies of the rules printed and distributed among the members and Supt. Conley in order that they could better acquaint themselves with them before voting to adopt them.

The annual report of the department was presented by Supt. Conley. Bills were approved and many minor matters considered.

The meeting was called to order shortly after eight o'clock with all members present. For an hour or more bills were examined and with a few exceptions all were approved. One was one bill which charged the department 11 cents per pound for prunes, while on several other bills the prices were seven and eight cents. The members of the board also held up a bill for bandanna handkerchiefs, believing that the price was a little too steep. The bills which were held up will be brought to the attention of the purchasing agent.

A communication from Dr. J. H. Sparks relative to the ambulance service for the year ending March 1, 1911, was read. According to the report the ambulance responded to 106 calls. On motion of Commissioner Howe it was voted to request Dr. Sparks to furnish a more detailed statement in order that the board could learn how many of the calls were for sick persons and how many for accidents.

The annual appropriation for the department was discussed at some length and it was the consensus of opinion that the department will be about \$10,000 short.

Supt. Conley submitted his annual report, which was in the form of a financial statement. Messrs. McCarty, Howe and Ricard will prepare the introduction to the report.

Dr. McCarty then produced a series of new rules and regulations which were offered for the approval of the board. The rules were drawn up as a means of making the opinion of the city solicitor that the superintendent had the power of appointment.

A rule was made that the superintendent shall have the power of appointment, but that he shall make such appointment after consultation with the board. The rules state that the board is responsible for the superintendent's conduct of the department and that therefore his important official acts must be with the knowledge of the board. He has, however, sufficient power to act in emergencies, and to maintain discipline.

Distric physicians are to be required to keep in touch with the board's office, and if they are to leave town they are to send word to that effect.

The rules covered the entire work of the department and before their final adoption the members will each study them for possible changes, and Supt. Conley will be given his chance to agree or disagree with them.

The last matter taken up was the redistricting the city for the city physicians' work. Commissioner Howe was appointed to submit a plan of redistricting at the next meeting.

the libel had been proven, and granted the divorce, giving the custody of the daughter, Regina, to Gutknecht, and the other child, Walter, to the mother. Mrs. Gutknecht was also granted alimony of \$5 a week.

NURSES ALUMNAE ASS'N.

Miss Blanche Harriman, 32 South Walker street, entertained the Lowell General Hospital Nurses' Alumnae association at her home Wednesday afternoon. This was the regular monthly meeting and the affair was a most enjoyable one. The regular business was transacted and it was also voted that they hold a cake sale in April. For the purpose of collecting a mile of pennies envelopes were passed to each. The idea of carrying out both of these projects is to raise a fund for the endowment of a bed in the hospital.

Miss Devoreux spoke at length on "The Problems of Life" and the valuable information given by her was greatly appreciated by the nurses. Light refreshments were served by the hostess. She was assisted by Mrs. Carr, Miss Merriam and Miss Devoreux.

The purpose for which the idea of assembling at the homes was formed, is meeting with good results. By this method the interest and thus the attendance is increasing. The next meeting will be with Miss Archibald, 333 Walker street. The committee in charge of the April meeting is Misses Archibald, Bell, Morrison and Tompkinson.

A POSTAL CARD

FURNISHED PROBABLE CLEW IN POISONING CASE.

ST. LOUIS, March 4.—The text of a postal card sent to Mrs. William Schneider after the death from arsenic poisoning several days ago of her 3-year-old son Ralph, was made public yesterday. "The card is regarded as a probable important clew in the case and not a hoax, because it is an apparent effort to direct suspicion to an innocent person."

The card is addressed to "Mrs. Schneider, 3713 Thompson street." Mrs. Schneider lives at that number on Thompson avenue. The postmark shows that it was received at the post office at 1 a. m. Feb. 21. The collection preceding that was at 11 p. m. the card written in lead pencil in what is known as Spencerian handwriting, is neat and the letters formed carefully.

It is apparently feminine handwriting. It follows, with the errors in spelling and punctuation reproduced:

"I poisoned the one. Your children are too easy. I had to move because both boys so in the future try and make your children more respectful to their elders they were to be despised

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Fire in a Factory in Billerica

The plant of the Greenwood Manufacturing Co., located just beyond Billerica Centre, was gutted by fire shortly before midnight last night. The cause of the fire is unknown and the blaze had gained considerable headway before it was discovered. The members of the Billerica fire department responded to an alarm but it was impossible to save much of the property inasmuch as the place was a seething mass of flames when they arrived.

The Greenwood company manufactures fertilizer spreaders and is a new industry in the town. The Billerica plant was really an assembling factory, the parts of the spreader being made elsewhere. There have been only about half a dozen hands at work in the building of late. George P. Greenwood and his son, Oliver Greenwood, both of Billerica, conduct the business.

The loss will amount to \$1000. The Greenwood Co. put their spreader on exhibition at the county fair last fall and as a result secured many orders.

The fire was discovered shortly after 11:30 o'clock by Mrs. Mary H. Hubbard. She alarmed the neighbors in the vicinity of her home. The department was summoned and made a quick run to the building.

IRISH FORESTERS

To Observe Emmet's Birthday Tomorrow

Branch O'Neill-Crowley of the Irish National Foresters will observe the birthday of Robert Emmet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Ex-Mayor Leonard of Lawrence and Brother O'Neill of Branch Patrick Sarsfield of Lawrence, are expected to be present and address the members on that occasion.

Chief Ranger Luchman and Secretary Nevin, have arranged for a full attendance of the members. The place of meeting is Leather Workers' hall on Central street. The guests will be entertained by the branch after the meeting.

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Is in Favor of a Municipal Lighting Plant

Fountains, not of the soda-water variety, were demonstrated at the city hall last night for the benefit of the committee on lands and buildings. It was the first meeting of that committee and representatives of four makes of bubble fountains were present in sort of competitive demonstration. The fountains are wanted for the schools.

Alderman Burns spoke in favor of a municipal lighting plant for city hall, Memorial building and adjacent buildings. He said he believed there was a chance to cut the expense of electricity for municipal buildings in half.

After the fountain or bubble demonstration, their merits or demerits discussed, Mr. Whittey of the committee suggested that the different makes of fountains be attached in some school and that the children, knowing nothing about them, be allowed to use them. Acting on this suggestion—the selection of a bubble was deferred until a practical demonstration in some school could be made.

In presenting the matter of a municipal lighting plant, Mr. Burns said: "I want to suggest the advisability of installing in city hall a plant which will not only furnish electricity for this building and the Memorial building but a number of other buildings located in its vicinity. The purpose of my suggestion is to cut down the heavy expense entailed under the present system. From information I have received, the city of Lowell has a chance to effect a great saving in some of its electrical bills."

"The water department not long ago installed in its Centralville station a plant to furnish its own current, and

its bills were immediately cut in halves, not including, of course, the cost of installation. The cost was comparatively small because the old power plant was able to provide steam for the generators. In city hall, I am informed, the present heating plant with little or no change, will be sufficient to furnish power for the generators.

At the high school and high school annex, the annual cost at present for electric lighting and power is about \$1500, and this could undoubtedly be cut in halves. Another thing to be considered is the possible location of a public hall near the city hall. Recently a number of people favored such a location.

"All things considered, there is a chance to cut the expense of electricity in halves for the buildings I have named, and I feel that the interests of the city require that we take that chance. At this rate of saving it would pay to build a plant before the plant would pay for itself, gradually its scope could be broadened."

"I would ask that you give this matter your attention as soon as convenient. An investigation by experts will cost the city nothing, as I understand any company would be willing to conduct one and report all details at cost."

Mr. Burns moved that the inspector of buildings be instructed to get in touch with some expert who would figure the probable cost of installing a lighting plant in the basement of city hall and to light city hall, Memorial building, the high school, annex, Green school, etc. It was so voted.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A well attended business meeting, which was followed by an excellent entertainment, was held in Odd Fellows hall in Middlesex street last night by the members of Passaconaway tribe of Red Men. Sachem Fred O. Marshall presided and one candidate for the warriors' degree was favorably acted upon.

The sachem reported on sick members stating that they were improving as well as could be expected. The auditors reported that the tribe was in a good financial condition. At the next meeting the warriors' degree will be exemplified on one adopted member. At the close of the meeting the members repaired to the banquet hall, where 200 members and paleface friends were present and ample justice was done to the menu provided.

At the conclusion of supper the calumets were lighted and all enjoyed a first class entertainment of songs, recitations, athletic exhibitions and musical selections. The entertainment committee intends to give a series of suppers and entertainments monthly so as to increase the interest of the order. The entertainment committee consists of D. G. Hurd, chairman; C. H. Kittredge, treasurer; J. H. Hickey, secretary, and G. A. Frost and George Houle.

Sons of Veterans
The members of Admiral Farragut camp met in Post 186 hall last night and transacted considerable business of importance. Two applications for

membership were received and one new member admitted. Resolutions on the death of Herbert Fisk, who died Feb. 28, were passed. The camp voted to have the staff up from Boston, April 7. After the meeting there was a supper and speeches by the members and G. A. R. members.

Order of Protection
The regular meeting of Echo lodge, N. E. O. F., was held last night and considerable business was transacted. One member was initiated and several propositions received. A past master's badge was presented Brother Bickford for faithful service as a trustee for the past 18 years. Sister Bennett was also awarded one for her service. Sister Bennett and Sister McLellan will attend the grand lodge meeting in Boston, March 8, as delegates from the Lowell lodge.

Rebekah Lodge
The annual supper of the Centralville Rebekah lodge, No. 137, degree staff, was held in the banquet hall in Odd Fellows hall, Friday evening, March 3, and was presided over by Noble Grand William M. Puffer and Vice Grand William M. Puffer. Thirty-two members were present. There were piano solos by Miss Leona Small. Entertainment and general dancing followed.

Supt. Fiske Resigns
LAWRENCE, Kas., March 4.—H. H. Fiske, superintendent of Haskell institution in Indian Territory, has tendered his resignation to take effect April 1. It was accepted. Mr. Fiske will go to Boston to engage in business.

FOR SALE

GOVERNMENT PAID FREE—The Homeowner, official 1911, published January, April, July and October, describes every acre in every county, all public and states; contains township and section plans, rainfall maps, 320 acre homestead law, how and where to get government land without living on it. Information regarding national forests and Indian reservation openings; subscription 25 cents the year. Address Homeowner Pub. Co., St. Paul, Minn. Mention this paper.

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BOSTON BULL DOG lost; 4 years old, right side of eye gone, white, white breast and brindle back. Reward if returned to 26 A st.

LADY'S GOLD RING found in Saunders' market. Owner can have by proving property and paying for this ad. at the market. See Mr. Donovan.

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HOUSE OF TWO TENEMENTS, of 5 rooms, and one of three room store, furniture, organ, piano and 24 house lots in South Lowell for sale. Inquire of Frank Bidouan, 154 Woburn st., South Lowell.

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MEN WANTED, aged 18 to 35, for firemen. \$100 monthly, and brakemen \$80 on railroads in Lowell and vicinity. Experience unnecessary; no strike. Position guaranteed complete. Men. Promotion. Railroad employing headquarters—over 100 men sent to positions monthly. State age, send stamp. Railway Association, Dept. 56, 227 Monroe st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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EXTRA PRESIDENT W. H. TAFT BIG LAND DEAL

THE BLACK HAND Says That Congress Will Meet on April 4th Councilman Genest Makes a Big Purchase in Highlands

Threatened to Blow Up House
and Kidnap Girl

ERIE, Pa., March 4.—Black Hand letters threatening to blow up her home and to kidnap her granddaughter have been received by Mrs. Charles Hamot Strong, daughter of the late William L. Scott, whose mansion was entered and violated a month ago. The letter makes a demand for money and while the Strong family, the Erie police and private detectives who are now working on the case refuse to make any statement, it is known that detectives have spent the last two nights in a field of stumps east of the city where the letter writers said the money should be placed.

Mrs. Strong was just recovering from the shock caused by the desecration of her father's tomb when the Black Hand letters were received. These letters have prostrated her and since their receipt four armed men are constantly on guard at her home at Sixth and Peach streets, and her granddaughter, Anna Strong Ronalds, who is here with her mother, Thora Strong Ronalds, who was recently separated from her husband, Reggie Ronalds, is not allowed out of the house or out of sight of her governess.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—President Taft definitely announced this afternoon that he would certainly call an extra session. The date will be April 4th. The close of the session was exciting in both houses. A filibuster in the house was successful in killing the tariff board bill. The Canadian reciprocity agreement died in the senate. The McCall bill, embodying its provisions, having passed the house only. Filibusters in both houses lasted until within a bare half hour of adjournment. Much bitterness of feeling was exhibited but finally the blockade gave way and the session on both sides ended with the usual felicitations, though the certainty of an extra session hung cloud-like over the final moments.

In the house the venerable speaker, Mr. Cannon, laid down his gavel, probably for the last time, after complimentary remarks by his successor-to-be, Champ Clark of Missouri, who led the house cheers for "Uncle Joe." The house took a recess during which the speaker delivered his valedictory.

THE PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION

WASHINGTON, March 4.—In a proclamation issued this afternoon, President Taft ordered an extra session of congress to convene on April 4. The proclamation follows:

"Whereas, by this special message, dated Jan. 26, 1911, there was transmitted to the senate and house of representatives an agreement between the department of state and the Canadian government in regard to reciprocal tariff legislation, together with an earnest recommendation, that the necessary legislation be promptly adopted.

"And, whereas, a bill to carry into effect said agreement has passed the house of representatives but has failed to reach a vote in the senate;

"And, whereas, the agreement stipulates not only that the president of the United States will communicate to congress the conclusions now reached and recommend the adoption of such legislation as may be necessary on the part of the United States to give effect to the proposed agreement but also that the government of the two countries will use their utmost efforts to bring about such changes by concurrent legislation at Washington and at Ottawa.

Now, therefore, I, William H. Taft, president of the United States of America by virtue of the power given me by the constitution, do hereby proclaim and declare that an extraordinary occasion require the convening of both houses of the congress of the United States at the executive chambers in the city of Washington on the fourth of April, 1911, at 12 o'clock noon, to the end that they may consider and determine whether the congress shall by the necessary legislation make operative the agreement.

"All persons entitled to act as members of the 62nd congress are required to take notice of this proclamation.

"Given under my hand and the seal of the United States at Washington, the second day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, nine hundred and eleven, and of the independence of the United States, the one hundred and thirty-fifth.

(Signed)

"By the president, P. C. Knox, secretary of state."

"William H. Taft."

CONVICT FLOGGED

DEPUTY WARDEN SAYS HE WAS
BEATEN 26 TIMES

MARQUETTE, Mich., March 4.—Testifying before an investigating committee of the state legislature, Deputy Warden Catlin of the state prison here said today:

"We flogged convict Stevens 26 times. I told Stevens that he would get another flogging tomorrow and he was sent back to the shop with bail and chain.

"The next day, when we went to his cell to bring him down for punishment he had foolishly cut his wrist."

In reply to a question as to what is the longest time a convict at Marquette prison had ever been subject to punishment the deputy replied: "Fourteen days."

MAN FOUND DEAD

Rats Ate Away Side of
His Face

VERGENNES, Vt., March 4.—The body of Henry Provove of Winooski, an inmate of the Rutland workhouse, was found in a hay barn at Waltham, two miles from this city, today. The barn had not been visited by its owner for three weeks. The body was frozen stiff and rats had eaten away the hands and one side of the face. Provove was discharged from the workhouse on Feb. 16 last. The place where the body was found is on the direct route between Rutland and Winooski.

MORTALITY

FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH
4TH, 1911

Population, 106,294. Total deaths, 34; Deaths under five, 6; Acute Lung Diseases, 8.
Death rate: 16.63 against 21.03 and 16.63 for previous two weeks.
Infectious diseases reported: Scarlet Fever, 4; Diphtheria, 6; Measles, 1.
Board of Health.

DON'T
WATCH and WAIT

For your Coke or Coal to run out. Every morning you see it's almost gone and you put off replenishing hoping to pull through till warm weather. It won't last and you know it. March and April are the dangerous months to be without heat. A small load of Coke will just do the trick at this season. If one has the tail end of a winter's coal supply in his bin—As much more Coke mixed with it would in many cases carry the man through till warm weather.

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SHOT TO DEATH

FIFTEEN MURDERERS AND OF-
FICIALS WERE PUNISHED

BERLIN, March 4.—The German operations against the rebels in Ponce, Caroline Islands, have been concluded. Fifteen murderers and officials were court-martialed and shot. The others were banished.

In the recent revolt four Europeans and five friendly natives were killed and the German forces lost several killed and wounded.

Other New Buildings

In the early spring Mr. Adolphe Bouchard of Aiken avenue is to start work on a three-tenement building near the corner of Ludlow street and Aiken avenue. The edifice will be made of brick and cement, and the contract has been awarded to Contractor Zol Houle, who makes a specialty of this kind of work.

Building permits granted since the last were published include the following: Permit to Frank Richard for the erection of a three story building, 63 by 65 feet, corner of Austin and Moody streets. The building will contain three stores and one tenement on the first floor. There will be 12 rooms on the second and third floors to be

He Will Build a Number of Cot-
tages and Double Houses—

The Land is Located in St. Margaret's Parish—Great Activity in Building Line in Lowell

Quite a number of new buildings will be built in St. Margaret's parish this coming spring, for Councilman Arthur Genest has purchased a large tract of land in that district and he intends building a number of cottages and double houses.

This tract of land was formerly known as the Parker estate. It extends from Chelmsford street to Stevens street, and contains 36 lots. Work will be begun Monday on two double houses, and when the latter are completed two more will be started and so on till all the lots have been covered.

The tract which covers about five acres of land is situated in a fine place within a stone's throw of St. Margaret's church and is an ideal spot for a home. The purchase of this tract for Councilman Genest, for it will be business in the new parish, especially in the real estate line.

Contractor Sawyer Busy

Contractor Ayala Sawyer is also quite busy in building new houses. He will start work soon on two buildings, one in Dracut street and the other in Mt. Hope st. The home he is building for himself at 139 White street is nearly completed, and will be ready for use in a few days.

Mr. Sawyer has his eye on a certain lot of land in the Oaklands which he intends to purchase in the near future, and if he does, a number of fine buildings will be put up in that vicinity. He will also build a number of houses in Faytuckerville this coming spring.

Mr. Napoleon Desmarais is building a six-tenement house at the corner of Island street and Lakeview avenue.

let for offices and apartments. The estimated cost is \$6000.

Horace Cinq Mars has been granted a permit to build a two-family dwelling, 22 by 46 feet, two and one-half stories, in Gershom avenue. The estimated cost is \$2000.

A permit to make alterations in the building 640-646 Middlesex street has been granted to Rostier Bros. The alterations will include the changing of a stairway from the middle to the side of the building and changes in the store front. The estimated cost of the changes and alterations is \$1000.

Nils P. Christlaussen has been granted a permit to build an addition to his house, 119-121 Andrews street. The addition will be 6 by 12 feet and will be used for a storage house. It will be two stories high.

The Park Commission

The park commission met last night and approved monthly bills. The meeting was a very brief one.

WILL NOT ACCEPT RESIGNATION

AUSTIN, Tex., March 4.—Governor Oscar B. Colquitt this afternoon refused to accept the resignation of United States Senator Bailey when it reached him by wire.

Time to Buy

"Lucky Curve," \$150 fountain pen. Special Sale Price, 95 Cents. Irish Poplin Table Cloth, 100 per lb. R. E. JUDD, Bookseller and Stationer, 79 Merrimack Street.

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Will Draw Interest From
MARCH 4

ANNUAL REPORT

Shows Work Done by Lowell
Hospital Association1300 Cases Admitted to the
Hospital Last Year—Provision
Must be Made to Take Care
of More Patients

A copy of the annual report of the Lowell Hospital association for the year 1910, including the reports of the treasurer and superintendent, has reached this office and, as usual, it is very neatly gotten up and contains a great deal that is of general interest. The first page contains a picture copied from Barber's Gazetteer, published in 1835. The picture, an eastern view of the central part of Lowell, is quite quaint in appearance. The land on which the Massachusetts mills now

stand was vacant at the time the picture was taken and the buildings shown do not bespeak the Lowell of today.

Another page is devoted to a memorial inscription with mourning border, dedicated to the memory of William Kendall Fairbanks who died January 24th of the present year. The trustees of the association are as follows: Hon. John F. Meehan, mayor, (ex-officio); Mr. Jacob Rogers, Wm. S. Continued to Page Four

FOUR LIVES LOST

Three Children and a
Man Killed

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 4.—Three children and a man were killed and six other persons injured when a boiler at the Blackburn-Gambill distillery on Howard's Creek, Breathitt county, exploded today.

The children were playing about the distillery when the explosion occurred. The other victims were employees.

A JUBILEE

OVER THE EMANCIPATION OF
THE SERFS

ST. PETERSBURG, March 4.—A jubilee over the emancipation of the Serfs is being celebrated throughout Russia today.

Emperor Nicholas, Empress Alexandra and Dowager Empress Maria were present at the service in the cathedral De Kazan.

An imperial rescript, published announcing the intention of the emperor of completing the work of his grandfather Alexander II by transforming the peasants into free and economically sound land owners. This will be achieved by affording them facilities to leave their peasant communities and by improvement in the science of agriculture.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our many friends for the great sympathy shown us in the death of our late loved husband and brother; also for floral and spiritual offerings.

Mrs. Mary Sheridan,
Mrs. Sarah Donovan,
Miss Lucy Sheridan,
Mr. Gilbert Sheridan,
Mr. Matthew Sheridan.

NOTICE, Div. 11, A.O.H.

There will be a special meeting of Div. 11, Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m., at Hibernian hall, to make arrangements for attending the funeral of our deceased brother, Michael Leonard, 40 Crosby street. Per order,
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A. O. H.
Attention!

There will be a special meeting of all the divisions on Sunday, March 5, at 2.30 p. m. Very important.

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For the month of March only, we offer a special cash discount of 10 per cent. on all gas ranges sold and connected during this month.

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6 O'CLOCK EXCITING SCENES

At the Closing Session of Lower Branch of Congress

The Democrats Started a Well Organized Filibuster—Speaker Cannon Ordered Out the Sergt. at Arms With His Mace.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The youngest member of the house of representatives in appearance, his step the brightest, his eye the clearest—Joseph G. Cannon of Danville, Ill., ushered in his last day as speaker of the republican house with a ringing declaration of his vigor and alertness. All night the speaker had ranged through the house chamber and the lobbies, sitting for a time at the clerk's desk to read bills that had been passed; posing for members who had gone to sleep on the lounges and in chairs and taking an occasional turn at sitting in his place in the speaker's chair. He was there a little after 4 o'clock when Chairman Tawney of the appropriations committee arose to ask for a further conference on the sundry civil appropriation bill.

"Mr. Speaker," began Mr. Tawney. "The speaker's asleep," interrupted some member on the floor aside to Tawney.

"The figure in the speaker's chair galvanized into action. 'The speaker is not asleep,' he shouted. 'The speaker is very much awake,' and his gavel struck the desk with an emphasis that brought the tumbling off the lounges in the cloak-rooms.

It was a night of some business, much talk and general farewells among the members of the house. The storm of oratory turned loose an hour or two before 12 spent itself by 1 o'clock, when Rep. Rainey of Illinois went to his chamber and endeavored to remember the words and pick out the parts of 'Aunt Dinah's Quilting Party,' 'Annie Laurie,' 'Masses in the Cold, Cold Ground,' and other old favorites. Vice President Sherman wandered down the main aisle of the house when the singing was at its height. His appearance among his old associates was a signal for a rush from all parts of the hall.

"A message from the senate," shouted Rep. Olcott of New York. "Speech, Sherry," came from various quarters.

When the vice president showed no intention of transgressing the already badly broken rules of the house, an enthusiastic voice struck up. "He's a jolly good fellow," and the crowd sang it with steady voices.

Actual business was at a standstill till 3 o'clock.

Rep. Livingston of Georgia, defeated for reelection, was called forth as one of the few remaining confederate soldiers in congress and bade farewell to his associates after twenty years of service in the house.

Rep. Cole of Ohio, likewise a defeated member, was hailed before the house in the full glory of evening clothes and protested that the reason for his defeat was that every schoolboy in Ohio begins life with the idea of coming to congress.

At 3 o'clock the house took up the postoffice appropriation bill reported from the conference committee and from that time business held attention until 3:58 when a recess was taken.

Speaker Cannon held his ground throughout the night, practically without a rest.

A story became current early in the morning, after Vice President Sherman's visit to the house, that Speaker Cannon had made a bet of 5 to 1 with

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2
Am Car & Fm	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2
Am Cit	61 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2
Am Locomo	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Am Smelt & R	74 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Am Smelt & R pf	105	104 1/2	105
Am Sugar	118	117	117 1/2
Anacosta	38	38	38
Atchafalpa	105 1/2	104 1/2	105 1/2
Balt & Ohio	103 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Br Rap Tran	77 1/2	77	77 1/2
Canadian Pa	213 1/2	212 1/2	213 1/2
Cent Leather	102 1/2	102	102 1/2
Ches & Ohio	82 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Chi & Gt W	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Col Fuel	32	32	32
Consol Gas	129 1/2	129	129 1/2
Den & Rio G	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Den & R G pf	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Dis Secur Co	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Eric	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Gen Elec	143 1/2	143	143 1/2
Gen Elec pf	143 1/2	143	143 1/2
Gr North pf	124 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2
Gr N Ore ctf	58 1/2	58	58 1/2
Illinois Cen	134	134	134
Int Met Cen	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Int Met pf	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Int Paper	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Int Paper pf	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Iowa Central	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Iowa Cen pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Kan City So	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Kan & Texas	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Louis & Nash	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2
Mexican Cen	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Missouri Pa	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Nat Lead	52 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
N Y Central	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Nor & West	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Out & West	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
Pennsylvania	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
People's Gas	104 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Reading	154 1/2	153 1/2	154 1/2
Rock Is	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Rock Is pf	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
St L & S Wn	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
St Paul	120 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
St Paul pf	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
Southern Ry	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Tenn Copper	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Third Ave	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Union Pac	173 1/2	173 1/2	173 1/2
Union Pac pf	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
U S Rub	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
U S Steel	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
U S Steel pf	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
U S Steel ss	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Utah Copper	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Wabash R R	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Wab R R pf	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Westinghouse	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2

STOCK MARKET

WAS STEADY AT THE CLOSING HOUR TODAY

There Was a Moderate Rally At Noon—Many Of the Early Gains Lost in the Last Hour—Selling Resulted in New Records

NEW YORK, March 4.—Opening transactions on the stock exchange this morning in a majority of cases showed fairly good advances over last night's close. Atch and Can. Pac. were the strongest, with gains of a point each. U. P. and New York Central were up 1/2 and United States Steel and Reading 1/4. Denver and Rio Grande led the list.

The market maintained its strength during the first hour and increased the opening gains slightly.

The market closed steady, with a moderate rally in progress. Most of the early gains were lost in the last hour, concurrent with the news that an extra session of congress was rather sure to be called. The selling resulted in some new records, with extreme weakness in New York Central, which touched 185 1-8, its low price of last year.

BOSTON MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Adventure	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Am Ag Chem Com	35	35	35
Am Ag Chem pf	101	101	101
Am Pacifi	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Am Tel & Tel	115	114 1/2	115
Am Woolen pf	94 1/2	94	94
American Zinc	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Bos & Corbin	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Boston Elevated	129	128 1/2	129
Boston & Maine	119 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2
Butte Con'n	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Cal & Hecla	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Copper Range	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Fitchburg pf	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
Franklin	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Greene-Canaan	6	6	6
Indiana	12 1/2	12	12
Mass Electric	17 1/2	17	17
Mass Electric pf	88	88	88
Michigan	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Nova	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
New Eng Tel	145	144 1/2	145
N Y & N H	150 1/2	150 1/2	150 1/2
North Butte	25 1/2	25	25 1/2
Shannon	11	11	11
Superior & Pitts	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Swift & Co	102	102	102
Tamarack	42	42	42
United Fruit	186 1/2	186	186 1/2
United Sh M	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
U S Smelting	34 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2
U S Smelting pf	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Wash Cons	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Wolverine	121	121	121

BOSTON CURRENCY MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal New	150	150	150
Bay State Gas	300	300	300
Boston Lly	900	900	900
Davis-Daly	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
First National	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Goldfield Cons	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Inspiration	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Mottie Gibson	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Rawhide Mining	3	3	3
Ray Central	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
R I Coal	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2

NEW YORK, March 4.—Money on call nominal; no loans. Time loans easy and dull; 60 days 3 1/4 to 3 1/2 per cent, and 90 days 3 1/4 to 3 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange at 153.60, a 153.10 for 50 day bills and at 153.35 for demand. Commercial bills 483 1-4 to 483 3-4. Bar silver 52 3-4. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds steady.

Cotton Futures			
Month	Opening	Close	
March	14.11	14.16	
April	14.24	14.24	
May	14.35	14.35	
June	14.47	14.47	
July	14.21	14.17	
August	13.75	13.18	
October	12.59	12.51	
December	12.47	12.41	
January	12.41	12.35	

Exchanges and Balances
BOSTON, March 4.—Exchanges \$26,323.35; balances, \$791,637.
For the week:
Exchanges \$163,675,092; balances \$7,353,581.
Corresponding week last year:
Exchanges \$173,821,501; balances \$8,556,475.

Boston Copper Market
BOSTON, March 4.—Local coppers ruled dull but firm today. The close was dull and irregular. Nevada Consolidated 18 1-2, off 1-4; Lake 35 1-2, off 1-4; Calumet & Arizona 51 3-4, up 1-4.

Cleaning House Statement
NEW YORK, March 4.—The statement of clearing house banks shows that the banks hold \$38,476,000 more than the requirements of the 26 per cent reserve rule. This is a decrease of \$1,893,000 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week.

ever that Wilber had in any way interested himself on behalf of those companies in connection with ship subsidy legislation. It appears that when Wilber was originally named as the Hamburg-American Packet company and the North German Lloyd Steamship company, it was without objection by the Associated Press, but, immediately upon the testimony of Mr. Wilber, The Associated Press asked for his resignation, which was given.

INSPIRING MUSIC

At "Holy Hour" Services at St. Peter's

The "Holy Hour" service at St. Peter's church last evening was attended by a large congregation, and the service was unusually impressive. Rev. John T. O'Brien officiated, and the musical program offered by both choirs was of a high order of excellence. At the opening of the service, Mr. James E. Donnelly sang a beautiful "O Salutaris" by Hargitt. The impressive hymn "Jerusalem" from the oratorio of St. Paul, was sweetly rendered by Miss Gertrude Keleher. Luzzi's exquisite "Ave Maria" was sung with deep devotion by Miss May E. Whiteley. A trio, consisting of Messrs. James E. Donnelly, John H. McMahon and John F. Roane, sang "Jesu Dei Vili," the latter is a beautiful selection for a trio, and the three gentlemen gave it faultlessly. Mrs. J. W. McKenney presided at the organ.

The program offered by the vested choir under the direction of Rev. John F. Burns, was highly creditable, showing the splendid work accomplished in the training of the boys by Mr. Burns. Solemn benediction was given and the service closed with the singing of the hymn of praise.

DIVIDEND DECLARED

CHICAGO, March 4.—Directors of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific road, which is owned by the Rock Island company, today declared a quarterly dividend of 1 1/2, an increase of 1/4 per cent over the preceding quarter.

NEW MINISTER FROM BELGIUM

BRUSSELS, March 4.—Count Conrad De Buisseret, Belgian minister to the United States, today was appointed minister at St. Petersburg. He will be replaced at Washington by E. Haventh, now minister to Peru and formerly counsellor of the Belgian legation at the American capital.

APPOINTED TO COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Vice-President Sherman today appointed Senators Flint of California and Tamm of Florida, neither of whom will be members of the next congress, to vacancies on the national monetary commission.

STEAMER LAUNCHED

BATH, Me., March 4.—The steamer Moosehead, built at the Bath Iron works for the Maine Central railroad, was launched today. She was christened by Miss Margaret Sewall of this city.

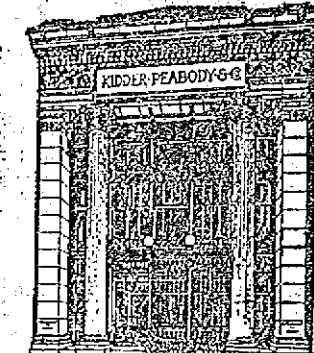
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BAILEY RESIGNS

Texas Senator Dissatisfied With Action of Democrats

The Vice President Refused to Read the Resignation and Wanted Mr. Bailey to Recon- sider—His Leadership Was Re- pudiated by His Colleagues

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Senator Bailey of Texas has resigned from the senate. He has made no explanation of his reasons therefor. He first presented the resignation to Vice President Sherman, who refused to accept it.

Mr. Bailey then wired his resignation to Gov. Campbell of Texas. Mr. Bailey's term would not have expired until March 3, 1912.

Senator Bailey confirmed the report that he had tendered his resignation, but declined to give to the press reasons for his action. In conversation with fellow senators, however, he based his reasons upon the vote cast by democratic senators in favor of the approval of the constitution of Arizona, which, he said, was contrary to his ideas of government, that he did not feel he would be justified in continuing his service with senators who, as members of his own party, would take the position that had been taken in the vote on that proposition. Immediately after the close of the session Mr. Bailey was closeted for some minutes with his democratic colleagues but resisted all appeals to reconsider.

He was then sent for by Vice President Sherman, with whom he went into consultation. When the resignation was first sent by Mr. Bailey to the vice president, the latter refused to announce it to the senate. Senator Bacon was then appealed to, to make the announcement, and when he likewise refused, Mr. Bailey wired his resignation to Governor Campbell of Texas.

Mr. Bailey's colleagues express hope that they may be able to induce him to change his mind.

During the last few days Mr. Bailey's leadership has been repudiated absolutely by his colleagues. It was with Senator Bailey that the republicans made their agreement for a vote on the tariff board bill the unfinished business. The understanding was that there was to be no filibuster on the tariff board bill, but a large faction of the democratic senators led by Senator Stone of Missouri refused to be bound by the agreement. From that time on the small part taken in the senate proceedings by Mr. Bailey seemed to be contrary to the judgment of his colleagues.

TO SPEND MILLIONS

To Make Improvements in Ter- minal District at Portland

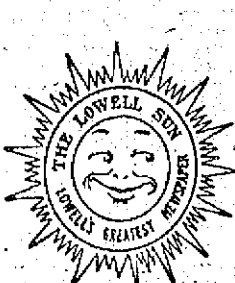
PORTLAND, Me., Mar. 4.—Improvements in the terminal district here, to cost between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000, are to be made if the act is passed by the present legislature. To amend the charter of the Portland Union railway station and enlarge its powers under the title of the Portland Terminal Co., according to an announcement made by officials of the company today.

The act proposes the establishment of a railroad terminal here which shall include all steam railroad properties in Portland, exclusive of the Grand Trunk and all such properties in Westbrook and South Portland. The company may build, purchase and lease electric street railroads within the limits of the terminal or connecting therewith.

Among the contemplated improvements is the abolishment of all grade crossings within the terminal district. A hearing will be held at Augusta next Tuesday. The company is controlled by the Boston & Maine and Maine Central railroads.

Count That Day Lost

WHOSE low descending sun goes down upon that vacant house, when a small To Let ad in THE SUN would quickly find a tenant. Little cost. Big results.



SHIP SUBSIDY BILL

Report of House Committee That Investigated Lobby Charges

WASHINGTON, March 4.—There is and has been no lobby or use of improper influence either for or against ship subsidy legislation. So says the special committee of the house of representatives in its report of the investigation for which it was appointed a year ago. The report was presented to the house today by the chairman, J. VanVechten, Olcott of New York. Charges made in this respect which reflect upon members of congress are "wholly false," the report declares.

"The committee feels it its duty to inform the house that there have been widespread throughout the country statements that lobbies and corruption on the part of members of congress existed in favor of ship subsidy or against ship subsidy, and that the parties who made them, after being thoroughly questioned, have admitted that they had no information upon which to base such statements or publications, but were

BOYS OF THE Y. M. C. A.

Hustled Today and Collected Quite a Sum of Money

This is boys' day for the boys of the Young Men's Christian association and during the day there were 113 youngsters hustling to raise money to help in carrying on the Y. M. C. A. work for boys. At one o'clock this afternoon dinner was served to the boys in the gymnasium building in Hurd street and it was announced that up to that time \$312.83 had been collected.

For the past few weeks the officials of the association together with the boys themselves have been trying to interest the people to assist in the work by contributing their mite. No amount is too small and neither is any too large. Anything and everything will be acceptable.

The boys gathered at the Y. M. C. A. building in Hurd street at 8:30 o'clock

and after receiving instructions they were taken in autos to the ends of their districts. They worked back towards the center of the city and telephoned reports in every hour, at which time the hands of the big clock were pushed around.

At 1 o'clock the boys regathered at the building and it was found that during the four hours they had been out in the morning they had collected \$312.83. After enjoying an appetizing dinner they started out again this afternoon and expect to collect much more than they did this morning.

The boys of the committee which has charge are: Ariston Barrows, chairman; Ralph Taylor, lieutenant; Edwin Bangs, Charles Barton and Austin Upson. Mr. Walter H. Hoyt acted as treasurer.

no funds for the support of such lobbies.

The committee consisted of Chairman Olcott and Messrs. Longworth of Ohio, Hawley of Oregon, Garrett of Tennessee and Humphreys of Mississippi. The investigation was the outgrowth of publications in the magazine published at Cleveland, by the Merchant Marine league of the United States, and in various other publications in various parts of the country alleging the existence of a "lobby" supported by certain shipping interests, especially those of European countries, active in opposition to the ship subsidy legislation. Certain members of congress were mentioned by name in some of these publications as being unduly influenced in this connection.

Both Representatives Steenerson of Minnesota and Kustermann of Wisconsin took notice of the charges, and were represented by counsel. Both are absolutely exonerated by the committee. The committee gave wide latitude to the counsel in the examination of witnesses and the scope of the investigation was a broad one.

The committee says that few of the persons actively interested in the merchant marine league had any personal financial interest in the league and Secretary John A. Penton and the executive committee assumed full responsibility for its publications. Articles especially virulent in their attacks, published by the then editor of the league's organ, John M. Maxwell, now of Indianapolis, were investigated and Mr. Maxwell refused to give certain authority for his statements. The committee decided that the answer to the questions to which he refused to reply was not of sufficient importance to justify reporting Mr. Maxwell as a recalcitrant witness. The charges of the league against members of congress are held to be "unwarranted and without any foundation whatever."

Newspaper Charges

Charges in a newspaper published at Dallas Texas, and similar attacks by certain other newspapers are declared to have been "apparently without foundation."

After analyzing all the testimony the committee was unable to find that any "lobby had ever existed or was ever

maintained either for or against ship subsidy legislation."

Certain testimony was allowed in the record as to alleged steamship companies or pools to control or fix freight or passenger rates, upon the theory that such evidence might possibly throw some light upon the subject matter of the investigation and the committee submits this testimony to the house with a view to its being used to advantage at some future time.

With regard to the trade between the United States and South America, says the committee, "there is a conference of steamship lines, commonly called the Associated Lines." This conference, it is alleged, maintains an agreement relative to the fixing of freight rates and shipments to and from South America. The report adds:

"Another conference of steamship lines, running between the United States and China, known as the New York-China conference, also maintains an agreement relative to freight traffic and rates.

Testimony was also taken on the question of ocean mail legislation and while not germane to the inquiry it is of importance for future reference. Certain other information relative to navigation laws of the United States and foreign countries, coastwise trade between the United States and South America, price and export of coffee from South America, and ocean mail service between the United States and Europe and United States and South America, was obtained from several witnesses who were examined.

The report includes this paragraph: "Some stress has been laid on certain testimony in regard to the employment of Jerome J. Wilber by the Hamburg-American Packet company and the North German Lloyd Steamship Co. The nature of his employment as shown by the testimony was to keep the companies advised concerning proposed legislation of every character which might affect their business interests and to supply them also with information from the various departments upon request. Mr. Wilber, while rendering such services to those companies was also a member of the staff of The Associated Press in Washington. There was no evidence what-

LATEST LOCAL COTTON MILLS THE EARL OF CREWE

TARIFF BOARD BILL

Passed by the Senate by a
Vote of 55 to 23

Measure Was Strongly Recommended by President Taft—
The Vice President Refused to
Recognize Democratic Senators
Who Wanted to Speak

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The senate today passed the permanent tariff board bill by a vote of 55 to 23. The end of the long fight for this bill, strongly recommended by President Taft, came at 8:30 a. m. At that hour the vice-president directed the clerk to call the roll. Several democratic senators were on their feet, clamoring for recognition at the time and there was much confusion. The vice-president declined to recognize anyone, asserting that debate was not in order. Senator Gore of Oklahoma declined to be taken off his feet and insisted upon making a statement while the clerk was taking the vote. The vote was along party lines, the republicans, insurgents and regulars alike, voting for the bill, with but two exceptions, and the democrats generally opposing it. Senators Bulkeley of Connecticut and Hepburn of Idaho were the republicans who recorded themselves against the bill. Four democrats voted for it, Clark, Ark., Newlands, Nev., Owen, Okla., and Thornton, La. As soon as the vote was announced Senator Bailey arose and stated that he had not voted because he did not believe the vote had been properly ordered. He said he would have voted "no."

Senator Stone of Missouri moved to reconsider the vote. Senator Beveridge moved to lay this on the table. The latter motion was carried 55 to 23. At 7:50 this morning the senate ordered an adjournment. On reconvening, Senator Beveridge took the floor and made a closing speech in favor of the tariff board bill. Along toward 8:20, with the hour appointed for the vote only ten minutes away, Senator Spooner suggested the absence of a quorum in order to insure a full vote on the bill. When the roll call had been concluded four minutes were left. Mr. Beveridge occupied these.

Promptly at 8:30 Senator Gore arose. Senator Stone also was on his feet. They loudly addressed the chair. "Debate is not in order," ruled the vice president. "The clerk will call the roll."

"Mr. President," shouted Senators Gore and Stone in unison. "Senators cannot interrupt a roll call," ruled Mr. Sherman.

"But I was addressing the chair before the call was ordered," shouted Mr. Gore.

Meantime the clerk was reading the call.

Mr. Gore asked for recognition on the ground of personal privilege and Mr. Stone seconded him in his request. The vice president said that he was not taking the roll call and that he would not be taken from the floor. He said, amid the confusion, that he had intended offering an amendment last night, but that he had decided not to do so in view of the ruling of the chair last night and that amendments were not in order. With this he sat down and the roll call proceeded in order.

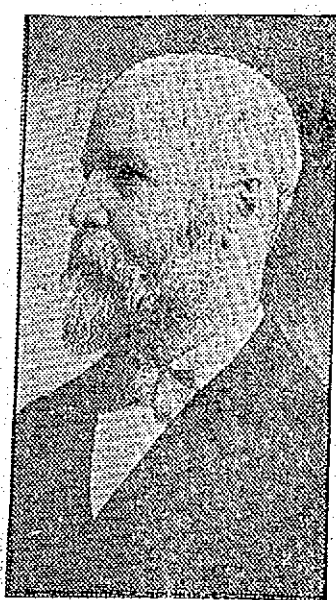
When the second call on the motion to reconsider had been completed, Senator Gore again arose and repeated to the senate what he had tried to make senators hear during the first call. He declared his only purpose was to apologize.

The bill as passed by the senate carried several amendments to the house bill and was immediately sent to the house for further consideration. At 10 o'clock the senate took a recess until 10 a. m.

The Suction Shuttle Must be Abandoned as a Menace to Health



JOHN J. CONNELL
Agent of Tremont and Suffolk Mills.



WILLIAM S. SOUTHWORTH
Agent of Massachusetts Mills.



E. W. THOMAS
Agent of Boot Mills.

The Massachusetts, Boot and Tremont and Suffolk and What They are Doing—Agent Connell Gives Some Startling Figures on Mill Expenses—Merrimack Mfg. Company Causes Excitement in Stock Market

In the legislature a few days ago a bill prohibiting the use of the suction shuttle was presented and there was no opposition to it. The bill was presented by Representative Edward F. Harrington, who has been a cotton cloth weaver, and it might appear upon the face of it that the abolition of the suction shuttle, that has been in use for a century or more, was something that the representatives of labor alone are interested in, but such is not the case.

The suction shuttle has got to go, and the chances are that Mr. Harrington's bill will not meet with any opposition in its legislative flight. A majority of the mill men are in favor of doing away with the suction shuttle. They agree that the pressing of divers lips to shuttles for the purpose of sucking the thread through the little eye is anything but conducive to good health.

Agent John J. Connell of the Tremont and Suffolk mills, Agent William S. Southworth of the Massachusetts mills, and Agent Edward W. Thomas

of the Boot mills, were seen by a representative for the Sun yesterday, and they expressed themselves as in favor of the abolition of the suction shuttle. A big percentage of the local mills are being installed in the local mills are Draper looms and in these looms the shuttles are threaded automatically, and as a substitute for the suction shuttle there are others with slits instead of eyes so that the thread can be drawn through the slit instead of sucked through the eye.

It is not very long ago that Agent Southworth of the Massachusetts mills, John Golden, the well known labor leader, at the state house and suggested the introduction of a bill in the legislature prohibiting the use of the suction shuttle.

While the mill men agree that this particular form of shuttle should be relegated to the rear they would not consider it fair if an immediate discontinuance was demanded. The abolition of the shuttle will entail a big expense as more than 50 per cent. of the shuttles in the various mills are suction shuttles.

It is generally conceded that the suction shuttle is liable to affect the lungs, especially if the weaver is employed on coarse work. The lint from the warp is inhaled by the weaver as he or she sucks it through the eye of the shuttle, yet it is a well known fact that many men and women who used the suction shuttle for 50 years or more died of old age and were rarely embarrassed by doctors' bills.

Despite the fact that the mill men would favor the abolition of the suction shuttle they are a unit in declaring that the shuttle with the slit instead of the eye is a much more expensive shuttle because of breakage. The thread does not run as smoothly through the slit as through the eye and is more liable to break, but, as Agent Thomas said, the extra expense, as against filling the weaver's lungs, with lint is not to be considered. The suction shuttle is anything but sanitary and while some mills have gone back to that shuttle because of frequent breaking by the other shuttle, the mills

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British Government Leader Was Stricken With Sudden Illness

LONDON, March 4.—The Earl of Crewe, government leader in the house of lords, and secretary of state for India, was removed in an ambulance this morning from a hotel to the home in Berkeley square of the countess's father, the Earl of Rosebery, following a sudden and serious illness.

The earl was one of a dinner party at the hotel last night when he was seized with a gastric fainting fit, followed by convulsion of the brain. The extent of the breakdown may be gathered from the announcement that it will be at least two months before he will be able to resume his leadership in the upper chamber or the duties of his office. It was necessary for the patient to remain at the hotel during the night. The countess and their infant son were taken to her father's home when they were driven out of the Crewe house in Mayfair by fire on February 10.

The illness of the leader is unfortunate for the government, in view of the important business coming up in the house of lords, which includes Lord Lansdowne's reform bill and the government's veto bill. The earl's duties in the upper house and in the Indian office will be assumed temporarily by Viscount Morely, lord president of the council and former secretary of state for India.

DEATH REPORT WALLING WINS

With Causes Assigned for Past Week
Miss Grunspan Cannot Recover Damages

The report of deaths for the week ending March 4, 1911, with causes assigned, is as follows:

23—William Ryan, 64, myocarditis.
James H. Hulme, 49, suicide.
24—Mary J. Adams, 84, endocarditis.
John J. Kennedy, 77, heart disease.
Elizabeth Asselin, 58, cancer.
Lucien Veillette, 36, cirrhosis of liver.
Frederick C. Matthews, 23, acute nephritis.
25—Louis Lafleur, 39, disease of heart.
Bertha Graves, 29, ch. heart disease.
Fulmen Carrera, 2, whooping cough.
Lena M. Cushing, 3 mos., convulsions.
John Sawolek, 2 mos., bro. pneumonia.
Shapard, 10 min., atelectasis.
26—Michael Lynch, 63, pneumonia.
John J. Kennedy, 77, heart disease.
Patrick A. Holloway, 31, disease of heart.
Francina Panayotoulo, 30, heart.
Fred A. Dix, 51, valv. disease of heart.
Mary J. Crowley, 40, endocarditis.
27—Sarah M. Willey, 51, valv. disease of heart.
Bridget Nutter, 51, pneumonia.
Bertha Lafreniere, 7, endocarditis.
William H. Jones, 75, cystitis.
28—Mary Advachack, 19, days, whooping cough.
Lavina A. Pinkham, 58, cardiac asthma.

BURNED TO DEATH

Six Persons Perished in a Fire

CENTER, Texas, March 4.—Six persons were burned to death or killed outright in a fire here shortly after midnight. Many others were hurt, at least two of them fatally.

LOWELL PRIEST TO ADDRESS HOLY NAME SOCIETY IN LAWRENCE

Rev. James A. McDermott, O. M. I., of this city, will deliver the first in a series of sermons before the members of the Holy Name society of St. Lawrence's church, Lawrence, Monday night at 7:45 o'clock. Rev. Francis P. Quinn, spiritual director and Louis A. Kane, president of the organization, will be in charge.

STATEHOOD BILL MAJOR THURSTON

Held Up Business in the Senate
Seriously Injured by a Fall

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Consideration of immediate statehood for New Mexico and Arizona held up the business of the senate for two hours today.

The senate had under consideration the resolution formally approving the New Mexico constitution. Senator Owen, insisting that the Arizona constitution which only reached Washington yesterday should be approved at the same time, held the floor against all efforts to displace him until the senate leaders finally agreed to couple Arizona with New Mexico.

After the two propositions had been coupled, however, the senate voted down the resolution. It was said later that this does not mean that New Mexico cannot be admitted by action of the president.

Mr. Owen based his fight on the assumption that President Taft might disapprove the Arizona connection because of the disapproval of the "recall" of judicial officers.

NEW YORK, March 4.—Major Walter A. Thurston, U. S. A., retired, full today from the second story window of a sanitarium in Lexington, where he had been undergoing treatment. He was found unconscious in the house yard, suffering from a fractured rib and possible internal injuries. At the hospital to which he was taken his wounds were considered serious, but not necessarily fatal.

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BIG CARNIVAL MOST SUCCESSFUL EVER HELD IN MANILA

MANILA, March 4.—Manila's most successful carnival closed today. It has been profitable from a financial standpoint and also of advantage industrially.

The Spanish colony presented J. C. ("Bud") Mars, the New York birdman, with a medal and many gifts in recognition of his exhibition, which was the first of the kind in the Orient.

Brig. General Finston, who has assumed command of the department of Luzon in succession to Brigadier General Polia, was given a rousing welcome on his arrival here by army veterans and natives of Kansas.

THE HOMESTEAD ACT

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Approximately 500 acres of land in New Mexico have been designated by Secretary of the Interior Bailew under the homestead act as not being susceptible of successful irrigation. The order comes effective on March 24. This makes the total designation to date in New Mexico under the above act 16,058,973 acres.

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SONDER YACHTS BOARD OF TRADE

White Cedar Barred In Is Arranging for Its
Their Construction Annual Banquet

BOSTON, March 4.—An international agreement barring white cedar in the construction of sonder yachts has been reached by the two leading organizations promoting that branch of the sport—the Kaiserlicher Yacht club of Germany and the Eastern Yacht club of this country—according to an announcement made here today.

The agreement, however, does not extend to yachts under construction nor to those already built, and one of the American boats which are being prepared for the fourth international yacht series at Kiel next June has her hull-planked with such wood.

The agreement follows what the American Yachtmen consider a very sportsmanlike attitude on the part of the Germans in not seeking to make an issue of the construction clause in the international agreement signed five years ago. Against the hubbly waters of Kiel harbor the Germans found that strong planking was necessary to stand the battering so most of the sonder yachts are built of red cedar or mahogany. But the Americans, accustomed to smooth seas off Marblehead, sought the lightest of wood and by using white cedar were able to bring the weight of their yachts close to the minimum limit of 4,000 pounds. The Spanish yachts which came to Marblehead last August were nearly a thousand pounds heavier than the American boats and stood very little show in light weather.

The international agreement states that the sonder yachts shall be built of cedar or heavier wood. The Germans admitted that white cedar was real cedar but said that they never had any intention of building their yachts of such material, principally because of its poor quality, its lack of rigidity and its porous nature.

The three American yachts that will go to Kiel this year are the Clma, owned by Guy Lowell of the Eastern Yacht club, the Beaver, owned by George Dabney, and others of the Beverly Yacht club, and the Biblot, owned by R. W. Emmons, 2d of the Eastern Yacht club. The Clma is built of white cedar, the Beaver of red cedar and the Biblot of mahogany.

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"APPLE MARY"

FAMOUS CHARACTER LEFT A FORTUNE OF \$60,000

CHICAGO, March 4.—"Apple Mary," 40 years a character on the board of trade, died yesterday. In the old building built after the great fire of 1871 and in the present one her little fruit and sandwich stand stood just to the left of the entrance.

She was a living directory of traders, past and living. She sold sandwiches to "Jim" Patten when the successful speculator of later years was a strippling. "Old Hutch" was always "Hutch" to her. "Partridge was always a bear on the floor," she was wont to observe, "but he always went long on my apples." She called Joseph Leiter "Joe" and was proud to sit "Joe's" lunch of an orange in the days of his ill-fated corner was bought of her.

"Apple Mary's" real name was Teresa Cella. She came from Algiers to Chicago. She left a fortune estimated at \$60,000.

A committee of the board of trade will have charge of her funeral.

GAMBLING RAID

Police Had Hard Time Getting In

NEW YORK, March 4.—The most spectacular battle in the police war against gambling resorts was fought yesterday in Times square, where great numbers of gamblers were engaged in neighboring theatres saw the engagement.

Hydraulic jacks, axes and sledgehammers failed to break the steel-barred doors, nearly six inches thick, which protected a third-floor room on Broadway from invasion, and Deputy Police Commissioner Flynn and a squad of detectives were finally forced to run up a ladder to one of the Broadway windows.

By the time the police had got into the room by the ladder the alleged principals in the gambling resort had escaped through windows in the rear. No less than 200 men were found in the room, however, and numerous arrests were made.

WATER BOARD ACTS

Appeals to City Council for Right to Seize Land

At a meeting of the water board last night it was voted to recommend to the city council that about ten acres of land on the boulevard opposite the boulevard lower pumping station be condemned and seized by right of eminent domain for the purpose of increasing the water supply for the city.

The meeting was a special one called for the purpose of approving bills. It was Mr. Robert J. Crowley's last meeting as his term will expire before the next regular meeting.

Mr. Crowley thanked his colleagues on the board for their fair and impartial treatment and he said he enjoyed the eight years that he had served on the board. He had tried to do his best for the city and to be fair with every man. There had been some criticism that went unheeded because he believed it unwarranted. He hoped that the general good feeling prevailing among members of the board at the present time would continue and that the department would grow in usefulness and prosperity.

President Robert W. Van Tassel replied to Mr. Crowley and thanked him for his fairness and impartiality in matters concerning the business of the board. He said that Mr. Crowley's experience in matters concerning the department had been of great assistance to the present board. He spoke of the pleasant relations existing and regretted that Mr. Crowley's connection with the board was about to close.

The following resolution will go to the board of aldermen next Tuesday night with the signatures of the water board members:

March 3, 1911.
To the City Council of the City of Lowell:
Gentlemen—

Owing to the decreased supply of water from the driven wells at the boulevard plant and its deterioration in quality, the water board last year sought the assistance of the state board of health in the matter. In response to their request, they were advised to secure as soon as possible about ten acres of land on the boulevard opposite the boulevard lower pumping station. Following this recommendation, the board engaged Daniel E. Hogan of the firm of Collins & Hogan, real estate dealers, to secure options on the land in question. Later his report to the board showed that many of the owners of the land demanded unreasonable prices for the same, and the only way to obtain possession was to seize it by right of eminent domain. Accordingly, we ask your honorable body to take the necessary action for the condemnation of the several pieces or lots of land as described and set forth in accompanying resolution, and respectfully urge the importance of prompt action so that the department may be able to improve the supply as early as possible.

TWO RESCUED

AGED WOMAN AND SON TAKEN FROM BURNING BUILDING

FRANKLIN, N. H., March 4.—An alarm from box 25, corner of Central and Franklin streets, was rung in last night for a fire in the Ripley block, a three story wooden building on Central street. The fire started in the basement under Ralph Rafferty's store, where fruit was being ripened.

Mrs. Jeanette Buchanan, aged 80, and her invalid son, E. L. Buchanan, once a champion prize fighter, were assisted from their tenement above. The smoke filled the building, but the blaze was soon extinguished.

The other store is to be occupied by the People's cash market company, which will take possession next week. There was stock of goods in the main damage will be from smoke and water. Mr. Rafferty suffers the most, his stock of fruit, candy and tobacco being badly smoked. An estimate places the damage at \$1000.

The ground floor is occupied as an armory by the Nesmith rifles. The block is owned by Mrs. Mary J. Ripley.

SIGNED BY PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The last bill that the president signed was the magazine postage commission bill.

LOWELL CLERKS DEFEATED THE LAWRENCE BANK

The Lowell bank clerks defeated the Lawrence bank clerks by 100 pins on the Howlaway in Lawrence last evening. Three teams bowled for cash side. Lowell won seven strings, Lawrence won four and one was a tie. The total pinfall: Lowell 3785, Lawrence 3633.

Following the bowling the party adjourned to Lincoln hall, where a banquet was served by Caterer A. F. Welgel. A social hour followed. The affair was in charge of F. A. Welas. A return match will be played in Lowell March 15.

NIGHT EDITION

WHAT CONGRESS DID

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Out of the smoke of the closing battle in congress emerge these results of larger interest:

POSITIVE RESULTS

- Provision for \$3,000,000 for the fortification of the Panama canal.
- Provision for two new battleships.
- Reclassification of the judicial code—regarded as most important for the amelioration of the law's delays.
- Creation of forest preserves in the southern Appalachian and White mountains.
- Provision for the construction of embassy and legation buildings abroad.
- Requiring the inspection of locomotive boilers.

NEGATIVE RESULTS

- Failure of the Canadian reciprocity agreement and consequent certainty of an extra session.
- Failure of the permanent tariff board bill, which passed the senate but was killed by a filibuster in the house.
- Failure of the resolution to add to states, Arizona and New Mexico, killed by a filibuster in the senate.
- Failure of the project to increase the rate of postage on the advertising sections of the large magazines, but a commission provided for to investigate the subject.
- Failure of the resolution providing for direct election of senators.
- Failure of the general old age pension bill.
- Failure to act on Ballinger-Pinchot investigation report.
- Failure to enact the ocean mail subsidy, passed by the senate.

ANNUAL REPORT

Continued

Southworth, chairman, of the Massachusetts Cotton mill; Frank A. Bowen, secretary and treasurer, of the Appleton Co.; Hiram F. Mills, of the proprietors Locks & Canals; John J. Connell, of the Tremont & Suffolk mills; Jude C. Wadleigh, of the Merrimack Manufacturing Co.; Haven C. Perham, of the Lowell Machine shop; S. T. Whitler, of the Hamilton Manufacturing Co.; Brooks Stevens, of the Middlesex Co.; E. W. Thomas, of the Boot mill; E. H. Walker, of the Lawrence Manufacturing Co.

The medical staff of the Lowell hospital association consists of Drs. R. J. Meigs, Lamoureux, Dennett, Pillsbury, Porter, McGannon and Eaton.

The surgical staff—Drs. Bass, Field, Jackson, Gardner, Viles, J. V. Meigs and T. B. Smith.

The following is contained in the report of the superintendent, Dr. Chas. E. Simpson:

There have been 1300 cases admitted to the hospital, 57 more than last year. The largest number on any one day was 76, of whom 62 were from the corporations. The largest number of corporation patients at any time was 64, and on that day there was none from outside.

No new work has been done on the buildings, and only necessary repairs, pending some decision upon future plans.

A new operating table has been provided, of which the surgeons have expressed marked appreciation. A second operating room is much needed, but it has been thought best to continue as we are for the present, since providing a second one would mean more expense than seems to be justified if existing plans are to be put into effect.

There have been no changes in the staff, and we wish to take this opportunity to say that much credit is due the members for their conscientious, skillful and consistent work, and their tactfulness in carrying it out.

The following table shows the number of patients treated during the year, and the result:

In hospital, Jan. 1, 1910, 57; admitted, 1357; discharged, 1210; died, 80; remaining Jan. 1, 1911, 61. Number of babies born, 59, not counted in above table, making a total of 1416.
The 1357 patients remained in the hospital 13,005 days during the year, an average of 14.5 days per patient. The largest number of weeks treatment in any one month was in March, 275.71. Smallest number of weeks treatment in any one month was in June, 210.71.

The following shows the number of patients admitted from each corporation: Appleton Co. 47, Bigelow Carpet Company 53, Boot mill 17, Hamilton 82, Lawrence 108, Locks & Canals 4, Lowell Machine Shop 82, Massachusetts 27, Merrimack 110, Middlesex 9, Tremont & Suffolk 157, at large 414.

Nativity of Patients	
Austria	24
Belgium	15
Canada	19
Denmark	1
England	68
Germany	202
Greece	113
Italy	239
Lowell	113
Newfoundland	2
Norway	1
Other parts of Mass.	51
Other parts of U. S.	127
Portugal	23
Russia	37
Scotland	5
Sweden	5
Syria	3
Turkey	19
Total	1300

Age of Patients Admitted	
Under 10 years	144
From 10 to 20 years	399
From 20 to 30 years	399
From 30 to 40 years	222
From 40 to 50 years	169
From 50 to 60 years	85
From 60 to 70 years	13
From 70 to 80 years	13
From 80 to 90 years	1
Total	1300

Civil Condition of Patients	
Single	841
Married	561
Widowers or Widows	98
Total	1300

Occupation of Patients Admitted	
Agent	1
Barber	1
Child	85
Clerk	15
Collector	1
Domestic	1
Dressmaker	1
Engineer	1
Farmer	1
Fireman	1
Housewife	135
Inspector	1
Janitor	1
Laborer	2
Machinist	1
Manufacturer	1
Merchant	1
Nurse	3
Operative	752
Painter	1
Paymaster	1
Peddler	1
Physician	1
Proprietor	1
Refined	1
Scholar	1
Undertaker	1
Total	1300

The Out-Patient work continues heavy with increasing numbers in the aggregate, although there has been a slight falling off in the number excepting the surgical, which has increased sufficiently to make a total gain. This is to be expected by reason of the lack of room to see individually medical cases, the large number of surgical cases filling all available space.

The position of this department and the method of carrying it on remains the same.

Dr. R. A. Greene has removed from the city and Dr. P. F. Pillsbury has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

Training School for Nurses

The School of Nursing has completed the twenty-third year of work and service, and is represented by ninety-three graduates. During the year sixty-four applications were received for admission to the school, of this

number ten were taken on probation and eight accepted as pupil nurses. On account of illness two were allowed to withdraw.

At present we have two graduates and seventeen pupil nurses.

On account of the increasing requirements expected of a graduate nurse both by the public and the many state boards of registration it will be necessary to lengthen the course of training, but we hope when this is done to have an eight hour service. This will be made possible when the additional quarters which are planned for this department are completed, giving extra rooms and accommodations for nurses; and this will do more to raise the standard and increase the efficiency of the Training school than can be fully realized by the public.

The Alumnae association which was formed about three years ago seems to be getting on a firmer basis. Meetings have been held regularly throughout the year and the membership has been increased. At the beginning of the year they donated a handsome mirror to the nurses' sitting-room, for which the nurses in training desire us to express their appreciation.

The course of instruction remains the same, with our large amount and great variety of work, exceptional opportunities are offered to those intending to train for nurses.

The course of instruction includes Anatomy, Physiology and Hygiene, Materia Medica, Text books for Nursing, and practical instruction in the wards and special lessons in massage and cooking from professional teachers.

In Conclusion

To all who have co-operated for the advancement of the hospital and its interests, we are deeply grateful. We wish to thank the numerous friends who have in many ways contributed toward the welfare of our patients.

The following contributions were received:

Books, magazines: Dr. R. J. Meigs, Masonic club, Girls Friendly society of St. Anne's church, G. C. Prince, Miss Haddon, Dr. W. G. Eaton and Mrs. W. S. Southworth.

Flowers: Mrs. Jacob Rogers, Mr. Lyon, Unitarian Flower mission, Kings Daughters of First Baptist church, Dr. Sherman, Mr. Rufus Whitler, Mrs. F. A. Flather, Chelmsford Centre High school, Women's Christian Temperance union of Dorset, Mrs. Frank Lane, Mr. Fred Coburn, Mrs. J. C. Wadleigh and Miss Gregg.

Fruit and candy: W. W. C. A. First Trinitarian Sunday school and a friend. Ice cream: Unitarian mission. Artificial leg: Dr. O. P. Porter. Interesting Diplomas: Mr. LeDell Kimball.

Respectfully submitted,
Charles E. Simpson,
Superintendent.

ANOTHER DUEL

GROWING OUT OF PRODUCTION OF "APRES MOI"

PARIS, March 4.—Leon Daudet had another duel today, growing out of Henri Bernstein's "Après moi" at the Comedie Francaise. His opponent was George Claretie, a son of the administrator of the theatre. The latter took offense at articles criticising the management of the house, which had been published by Daudet.

The men exchanged four shots with pistols at twenty-five paces. Neither was injured and they resumed the combat with swords. Claretie received a jab in the left breast. This wound will not prove fatal.

BOXING GOSSIP

Terry Martin and Kid Henry have been matched to box in Albany next Tuesday night.

Champion Wolgast and Owen Moran have been offered a \$12,500 purse or 70 per cent of the receipts to box in Juana, lower California.

Jim Barry received word yesterday that his match with Joe Jeannette is clinched for March 16 at Ryan O'Rourke's New York club. Barry will go to Stratford, Conn. today to train for the bout.

The Jimmy Carroll who broke his arm in a bout at Brooklyn last Monday night is not the same man who will meet Al Belmont in one of the Inter-city bouts at the Armory A. A. Boston next Tuesday night.

Manager Hanks clinched a cracker-jack match yesterday for his August 4 at A. Joe Thomas of California and Tommy Sullivan of Lawrence will be the stars. They are well matched, and Hanks should have one of the grandest scraps ever boxed in Maine.

Manager Bartley Connolly of Portland, Me., who is coaching the Billy Dixon-Kid Scaler match at the Portland auditorium tonight has arranged a great match for the semi-final, as Johnny Gallant, the hard-hitting Boston featherweight, has been elected to meet Young Hugo Kelly of Portland.

Andy Morris of East Boston, who meets Jack Leon at Bangor, Me., tonight, left for that city last night. Kid Paritz of this city, who boxes in the semi-final bout, will help Morris finish his training while in Bangor. This is the first heavyweight match put on in Bangor for a long time, and there is considerable interest in the outcome.

DIAMOND NOTES

Seven members of last year's Harvard team are available this season. They are: William Poomey of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Ray Frel of Renova, Pa.; Mike O'Toole, who asked to be traded but is satisfied at any disposition that may be made of him; Hagan, who has not yet turned in his contract; Henry Merrill, who Billy Hamilton says he will give a thorough workout in the box this season; Bill Moore, who is ready to return, and Joseph Jarvis of Milton, N. H., an outfielder, who finished the season with Harvard.

Red Anderson, who was really the only holdout, was traded last week for Grubb, third baseman and shortstop of the Birmingham club of the New York State league.

Of the new men signed there are for catchers, Robert A. Neal of Dover, N. H., the New Hampshire State college player, who will go south with Fred Tenney's Boston team; Bert Wheeler of Lynn, a friend of Jimmy Wallace of the Lynn team, and John F. Nelson, Jr. of Dorchester, who was on the same team with Janvin, the Boston school boy taken west with the Red Sox.

These are the three old pitchers. Providence has turned over Duffy and Greene to Harvard. Then there are Roscoe C. Heron of Rochester, N. Y., and Romeo Dandaneau, a young left-hander of Dover, N. H.

For first base the most likely candidate is George E. Sullivan, now located in the New York State league. He was secured from the Cincinnati club. The other candidates are John Hurley of Weymouth, Paul Blison of Fitzburg, William C. Mitchell of Somers-

ville, Edward Munroe of North Conway, N. H., and J. A. Fraser the old Holy Cross pitcher.

For second base there are John P. Leininger, Francis J. Lilly of South Boston, and Robert Tarrant of Boston. The management is negotiating for another. For the third corner there are Bernard Rutherford of Eastport, Me., William Finnegan of Natick, and Thomas Hathaway of Dover, N. H. For shortstop there are James Quinn of Providence, R. I., and Monte Pfeiffer of Brooklyn, N. Y.

For the outfield there are Al Klatt of New York city, who played with the Austin, Texas, team a few years ago; Burnham E. Brown of Somersworth, N. H.; W. K. Hartigan of Manchester, N. H., said to be a speedy youngster; and Joe Jarvis.

Jesse Burkett is not worrying about the coming season, regardless of the fact that he will in all probability have trouble with his players' slugging on account of cutting their salaries, and he has put on a dash. He weighs 216 or more than he ever did in his life before. Burkett's weight without doubt will cause his retirement from active playing, as it will be impossible to get back in shape.

Maxer Frank Leonard left Sunday for West Virginia as he has 14 cities to visit for this Durham sign.

Information comes that Stowall who played with Lynn last season and was let go, has a claim of something like \$35 against the Lynn club, and that the national commission has wired him to investigate it. As far as is known there is no such claim. It is said to be for part of his transportation money.

William A. Flynn, the giant right handed pitcher, who refused to come to Worcester at the start of the 1910 season, has sent in a signed contract for this season to Manchester, N. H., O'Donnell of the Worcester New England league team. Flynn only weighs somewhere between 180 and 225 and is more than six feet tall.

Flynn has a terrific reputation in the north central New York. He pitched for the New York Yankees, and was the Colgate college team and is the big bunch of other good young fellows, never satisfied that he's doing too much work or trying too hard for a win. He played last summer with many and various independent teams in New York state, and was the sensation of every game he appeared in, according to reports that scouts of the Worcester team sent in to Jesse D. Burkett.

Mat Kittredge, manager of the Saginaw baseball club of the Michigan state league, has signed Frank J. Daly, formerly of Manchester High school, as an infielder for this team this spring. Daly is an all-round athlete, having represented Dorchester High school on its football, baseball and basketball teams. He was born in that district and is 21 years of age.

POLISH CHAMPION

DEFEATED B. F. ROLLER IN WRESTLING MATCH

PHILADELPHIA, March 4.—Zbyszko, the Polish champion, defeated B. F. Roller, the former college athlete in a wrestling match at the American Athletic club here last night, inflicting two falls in one hour and 18 minutes. The men were matched to wrestle 10 minutes, the struggle held alone being barred. In the first fall Zbyszko secured a half Nelson and neck hold and pinned his opponent to the mat. A few minutes later he secured a rolling fall.

WORLD'S RECORD BROKEN

BAITMORE, Md., March 4.—The world's record for a five-man team at 200 lb pins was broken here last night by the Cantonville Country club team in a match game with the Baltimore Country club. Cantonville knocked down 636 pins.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. J. Foster has given up his residence in Lowell and has gone to Boston to make his home with his son in that city.

Miss Margaret Conway, the little daughter of Thomas Conway, ladder-maker of truck 4, will observe her next birthday, which comes on April 6, by entertaining a number of her friends at her home. Her little friends are looking forward with delight to the affair.

Miss Madge Nutting, of Sixth street has just returned to her home after a visit among friends at Concord. DOESN'T ARRIVE BY RAIL

Mr. J. Gordon of Centralville has been entertaining his daughter, formerly of Lowell now of Arlington, for a few days.

Special Sale of CLUB BAGS

Leather lined sole, leather corners stitched edges, 15 in., \$4.49 16 in., 17 in.

Value \$6.50.

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JIMMY GARDNER

To Meet Frank Klaus in Pittsburg

Jimmy Gardner and Frank Klaus are to meet again. They have met three times in Boston, and Paddy Minihan, Gardner's manager, figured that Hub fans had seen about enough of this pair, although the local club was quite willing to match them for a fourth meeting. But the bout will be fresh as a daisy to the Smoky City, and is certainly one of the very best contests ever billed there. The first bout in Boston between Klaus and Gardner was unsatisfactory for Gardner was in poor shape and made a very unsatisfactory showing. But since then Jimmy has taken on a new lease of life and in his second bout with Klaus he beat the Pittsburg bearcat by a city block. The third contest saw Klaus in the best form he has ever shown in Boston, but the best he could get from Gardner was a draw. The men are very evenly matched, and the Pittsburg fighting which is at its rounds, without a decision, won't decide anything. But it will give the Pittsburg fans a bout that will be a hummer, and at the short distance Gardner is pretty apt to have all the better of it.

THE BOOTT TEAM

Won in Manufacturers League

The final game in the Manufacturers' league series was played between the Boott and Hamilton teams on the alleys last night and the Boott team won with comparative ease. Kirby of the winning team was high man with a triple of 233.

The game between the Majority team of the Lowell Electric Light Co. and the Minority team resulted in a victory for the Majority Five. The scores:

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE	
Boott	
Wessen	72
Granham	79
Johnson	93
Kirby	101
Abbott	90
Totals	437
Hamilton	
Halsell	83
Griffin	82
Dodge	88
Sub	68
Totals	413

ELECTRIC LIGHT LEAGUE	
Majority Team	
J. Wood	78
Spencer	85
Cawwell	76
Morton	88
A. Wood	82
Noon	80
Totals	499

Minority Team	
Coggins	81
Dunlavy	70
Morrison	76
Downing	79
Prescott	82
Callahan	85
Totals	485

TO PRESS SUITS THEATRE CLOSED

Entered Against 34 Electric Companies By Order of the Chief of Police

CLEVELAND, O., March 4.—U. S. Dist. Atty. Day, who yesterday filed suit against the General Electric Co. of Schenectady, New York and 33 other companies, charging them with a conspiracy in restraint of trade in connection with the manufacture and sale of electric lamps today announced that the government prosecution would be pushed as quickly as possible.

He will file an ancillary petition in the circuit court Monday, asking for an order for process service on all non-resident defendants named in the suit.

WONSOCKET, R. I., March 4.—The chief of police, acting on complaints made to Mayor Mullen and others regarding talk and actions on the stage of the Family theatre, a small vaudeville playhouse on Social street, ordered Frank P. O'Donnell of this city, lessee of the place, which has been run by Boston parties, to close the theatre. This was done.

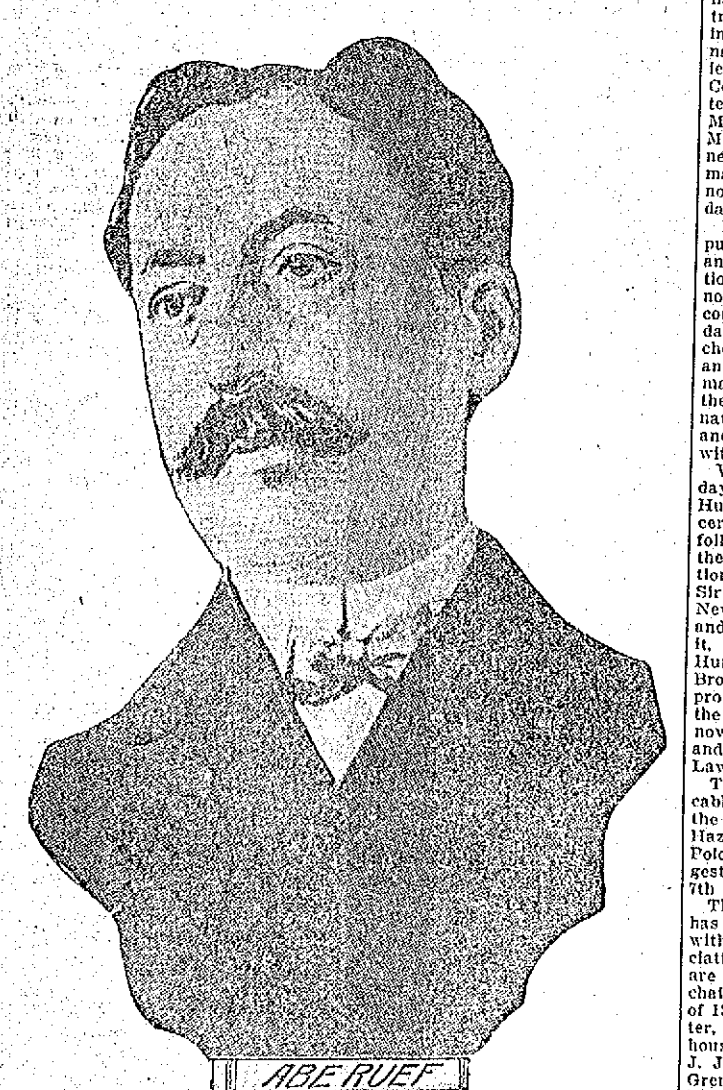
Lynch's theatre, another Wonsocket vaudeville and picture theatre, will be closed tonight by the proprietor, E. W. Lynch of Worcester, pending improvements in the house and changes in the managerial staff.

FUNERALS

McFADDEN—The funeral of Mary Ellen McFadden took place this afternoon at four o'clock from the home of her parents, 56 Agawam street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, Higgins Brothers, undertakers, in charge.

RUEF GOES BEHIND BARS

AT SAN QUENTIN MARCH 8



SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—An order committing Abraham Ruef, the former political leader of San Francisco, out on \$250,000 bail, to San Quentin penitentiary, where he will serve a term of fourteen years for bribing Supervisor John J. Furey, having been made by Superior Judge William D. Lawlor, there is no further hope for the man who allied himself with the crooks of the city. Ruef was taken into custody immediately after the court announced that a recent order granting him a rehearing had been vacated. This action was taken to mean that Ruef's last hope of escaping his sentence had been dispelled, and Ruef was arrested as soon as possible thereafter. The court, however, granted him a seven days stay of execution of judgment to give him time in which to settle up his affairs before going to the penitentiary. He will go to a cell at San Quentin March 8.

BIG POLO GAMES

The First Will be Played May 31

NEW YORK, March 4.—After nearly a month of consideration the Hurlingham club has submitted the earlier trio of the two sets of dates suggested in a cable by the Polo association, the national ruler of the game of feet poles and mallets in the United States. Consequently the matches for the international cup will be played at the Meadow Brook club on Wednesday, May 31; Saturday, June 3, and Wednesday, June 7. As it is a challenge match, beat two of three games, it may not be necessary to play on the third day.

Hurlingham tried to have the match put off until August, but in reply to an ultimatum from the Polo association agreed to play earlier if dates not after June 11 could be fixed. The completion of June 23 and following days was the stumbling block to a free choice of dates. It is duly, however, and not the pursuit of pleasure that made the challenging team insist on the opportunity of attending the coronation, for they are all army officers and will be on guard if not parading with their regiments.

Win or lose, under the selection of days there will be ample time for the Hurlingham team to get back for the coronation, leaving their ponies to follow on another steamer. It will be the only match here for the international cup since the inaugural, when Sir John Watson's team lifted it at Newport in 1886. American teams tried and failed more than once to regain it, but the big cup remained with the Hurlingham club until a Meadow Brook team, challengers with the approval of the Polo association, turned the trick in 1909. As everyone knows now, H. P. Whitney was the captain, and his aids were Devereux Milburn, Lawrence and J. M. Waterbury, Jr.

The acceptance of dates came in a cable yesterday from the manager of the Hurlingham club to William A. Hagan, secretary-treasurer of the Polo association. It read: "Dates suggested by you, namely 31st, 3d and 7th June, will be most suitable."

The Hurlingham committee, which has had charge of the negotiations, as with the committee of the Polo association, consists of nine members. They are Viscount Valentia, permanent chairman and of the original committee of 1876, F. A. Delville, W. S. Buckmaster, Major Cecil Petersen, Lord Vodehouse, the Earl of Harrington, W. H. J. Jones, P. W. Nickalls and R. H. Grenside. As associates for 1911 they have Treham Gilbey, A. M. Tree, J. S. Mason and Frank Hargreaves of the County Polo association, Lieut.-Col. H. Clifton Brown, Lieut.-Col. E. Makins and Major R. E. Charlton of the Indian

Polo association; F. O. Grenfell of the South African Polo association, Major Gen. Rawlinson, Brig.-Gen. Kavanagh, Capt. Sadler-Jackson and Major Pittman of the army polo committee; Maj. O'Hara, A. S. Watt and Capt. Hardress Lloyd of the All Ireland Polo club.

Not only has the polo knowledge of the world been at the service of the Hurlingham committee, as the above list indicates, but the challenging team will have the inspiration also of representing the sporting spirit of all England, for over \$20,000 has been paid in by voluntary subscribers to help pay the expenses of the match. Few of the subscriptions exceeded \$25 and they came from all parts of the United Kingdom. "In this country," to quote a player, "it is to be feared not one in a hundred knows what polo is."

The subscription began as a rebuke to the Hurlingham club for what the public demand, a lukewarmness in desiring a return match. If such a feeling ever existed it soon vanished. The Old Etonians challenged last year, but withdrew, but for two years nearly Hurlingham has been picking out men and ponies for the challenging. The Britishers have also taken up the modern game and know every kink of it. Capt. Hardress Lloyd was selected as captain early last season and he has had the advice of two committeemen.

The five named by cable last week as the challenging team have been among the ten under test since the last Hurlingham season. The formation as given is Capt. F. W. Barrett, Fifteenth Hussars; Lieut. A. Noel Edwards, Ninth Lancers; Capt. Leslie St. George Cheape, First King's Dragoons, and Lieut. E. W. Palmer, Tenth Hussars. All are in the prime of life and have had experience in the game in India against the nimble and hard hitting natives as well as on British grounds. This winter, indeed, Cheape was hit during the Melrut tournament but was brought about forty paces and arrived during the latter part of April, which will give to them ample time to tune up.

None of the old hands of British polo familiar by visits to this country is on the team named. But many of them were playing here last season and the challengers will have the benefit of their tips as to playing conditions. On the new Hurlingham handicap list formed on the American system of ratings by goals the five placed highest at ten goals are the Meadow Brook team and W. S. Buckmaster, Lloyd, Barrett, Edwards and Cheape, with six more are at nine and Palmes one of twenty-two at eight.

The dates selected come when the American tournament season will be well under way. In fact they conflict with the fixtures named for the Great Neck and Philadelphia Country club tournaments, which will of course go away. The Polo association selected H. P. Whitney as captain and Meadow Brook as the place when the challenge from the Old Etonians was under consideration. Unquestionably, unless one of the choices to withdraw, the Meadow Brook will defend the trophy. Hurlingham will defend the trophy. The Polo association committee will meet on Monday to discuss the international match. Horsemen regard the match as great a sporting contest as yachting and to see the home players win against the world's best team and ponies.



CHICAGO, March 4.—Another American golfer is going abroad. The latest one to announce his intention of trying his skill on the other side of the Atlantic is Charles (Chick) Evans of the Edgewood Golf club of this city, holder of the western open title. Evans plans to compete in the British amateur championships to be held on even.



SENSATIONAL EVENTS COTTON MILLS

Continued

That Marked Session of the 61st Congress

WASHINGTON, March 4.—In the retrospect the sixty-first congress, which expired by constitutional limitation at noon today, appears to have been distinguished by three things: The revision of the tariff in the Payne-Aldrich bill, which was passed at an extra session in the summer of 1909, the large amount of important legislation, much of it upon the recommendation of President Taft enacted at the regular session of 1909-10, and the exceedingly small product of the "short session," so-called, now coming to a close.

The interval between the last two sessions was marked by the political upheaval registered at the general election of last November, which changed a large republican majority into a still larger democratic majority in the house of representatives; but the republican majority in the senate almost to the vanishing point, and incidentally effected striking changes in the senate personnel.

The failure of this session to enact much important legislation has resulted in the practical certainty that the new sixty-second congress will be called almost immediately in extraordinary session, especially by reason of the strong desire of President Taft to secure action upon the pending reciprocity agreement with Canada, the consummation of which the contracting parties pledged the utmost efforts of the two governments.

In strong contrast with the support which the Taft administration received from the republican majority in the matter of legislation in the regular session of 1909-10 is the fact that at the present session the majority has been anything but united; the reciprocity agreement was passed in the house by the aid of a large proportion of democratic votes, while in the senate the rift in the majority between the "regulars" and insurgents has been an important factor in its slithering and in the consequent summoning of the extra session.

To this division in the majority was largely due the most dramatic feature of the previous long session—the protracted and sensational conflict last spring which ended in material changes in the rules of the house generally interpreted as "the overthrow of the speaker," the result of a bitter fight that lasted many hours and including one all night struggle stopped only just short of the actual unseating of Speaker Cannon. While the acrimony between regulars and insurgents neither began nor ended with the battle over the rules, that was its most conspicuous episode, and there has been little peace between the factions since in either house.

In the senate, the most sensational feature of this session was the unavailing effort, in which the insurgents were most active, to unseat William Lorimer on the ground of alleged bribery in connection with his election in the legislature of that state in the spring of 1909. The echoes of that battle are still reverberating, and its bitterness adds friction to the closing hours of the senate session.

Another important recent action of the senate was the defeat of the resolution embodying a proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States to provide for the direct election of senators by the people.

This resolution received more than a majority of the senate, but it needed a two thirds vote, and fell short by only four. Had the senate passed it, the house almost certainly would have done so. The friends of this proposition entertain little doubt that it will pass the next congress, and go to the states for ratification or defeat.

The output of this session in the way of general measures consists chiefly of the appropriation bills, and several of those have seemed in danger more than once in the tense situation of the past few days when long hours passed away in filibustering on one side or the other.

Thousands of bills have been introduced and several thousands more came to the closing session as a heritage from the first and second sessions. In all, there are between 35,000 and 45,000 measures before the congress as it comes to a close. The failure to enact many laws was not due to lack of raw material.

These are some of the more important measures, outside appropriation bills, that the final session of this congress enacted into law:

Providing for forest reserves in the Southern Appalachian and White Mountains.

Providing for the inspection of boilers on locomotives.

Providing for the purchase or erection of embassies, legations and consular buildings abroad.

An ocean mail bill passed the senate, but the house did not manifest enough liking for it to send it on to the White House.

Barren as the final session may have been of fruitful legislation the republican leaders point to the preceding sessions as more fruitful.

For the first or extra session, they point to:

The Payne-Aldrich tariff act, with its maximum and minimum features and corporation tax provisions, and its customs court.

The resolution providing for an income tax amendment to the constitution.

For the first regular session they refer to laws for:

Establishment of postal savings banks.

Admission of New Mexico and Arizona to statehood.

The most extensive census ever taken.

Creation of the commerce court, and sweeping amendments to the interstate commerce act.

Hallinger-Pinchot investigation.

Conservation legislation including authorization of withdrawal of public lands to preserve water sites and authorization of the issue of twenty million in bonds for completing irrigation projects.

Legislation designed to suppress the "white slave trade."

Publicity campaign contributions at election of members of the house.

Amendment to the employers' liability act of 1908; supplemental act regarding report accidents to interstate commerce commission, and establishment of a bureau of mines.

Reorganization of light house service.

Authorization of expenditure of \$28,000,000 for public buildings.

as a whole are adopting mechanical methods and it is only a question of a few years when every mill in the country will be equipped with automatically threading shuttles and the suction shuttle and inferior substitutes will have to take a back seat.

The Boot Mills

The damage done the Boot mills by the bursting of a fly wheel a few weeks ago is being repaired and the repairs are being pushed with all possible speed. The magnitude of the damage done the mill was very conservatively set forth at the time and the repairs amount, practically, to the building of a new portion. When the big belt slipped and the monster wheel went wild, it tore its way through the side of

live of The Sun, said: "We are trying to run our mills on our own money. We do not want to borrow from the selling houses or anybody else. We are not lending any money because we need all we have, and more too, to run our own business. Anybody acquainted with the business of the mill would know that the Tremont & Suffolk is not lending money."

"We use 1500 bales of cotton a week and when cotton was selling at eight cents a pound our weekly supply cost us \$60,000. Now we are paying 15 cents a pound and our weekly supply costs us \$112,500 a week."

"Besides that we have to find \$25,000 a week to meet the pay roll and \$10,000 a week for supplies, making a total of \$100,000 a week. These are actual figures and they cannot be disputed and even at that price we have made a little money."

"We are conducting our business on a cash basis and I want to remark right here that no mill has a right to

mal and the preferred shares appear to be a very attractive permanent investment under present conditions. The disposal of the printing department would benefit all concerned, and with the installation of considerable new machinery during the next six months, the outlook is good for an indefinite run of prosperity."

The Merrimack and the Pacific corporations are controlled by practically the same interests, men prominent in the cotton manufacturing industry being directors in each company, and nothing is more natural than the acquisition of the Merrimack Print works by the Pacific mills, when the proper time comes. It is not expected that the change will come through any great change in stock ownership, as that is not necessary, and having now reached a position where they can see daylight, the Merrimack management can go it alone very nicely. Relieved of the print works, they would be better off in our judgment, and if the corduroy branch was dropped and some staple lines put in its place, we believe that the earning capacity of the plant would be increased. The specialists in corduroys are apparently the most profitable business than the Merrimack and the Pacific mills, while the Merrimack product is right up to quality, it does not seem to be profitable in competition with several other lines made by factors especially devoting their efforts to this line of production, the Crompton Co. being one and Otto Hochmeyer another factor right in the front ranks at the present time, as sharp competitors of the Merrimack. We do not wish to give the impression that the Merrimack corduroys are not a good fabric, because they are, but as a department of Merrimack Manufacturing Co., we cannot class them as a profitable proposition.

Treasurer Lyman has worked hard to build up the property and he has been ably assisted by Agent Vadeligh and the superintendents and overseers, and results show that they have made good and Merrimack preferred is a desirable investment.

NEW ENGLAND MILLS

	Par	Last
American Woolen Com.	100	34 1/2
American Woolen Fld.	100	35 1/2
Amoskeag Mfg. Co.	100	32 1/2
Androscoog Mills	100	34 1/2
Appleton Co.	100	17 1/2
Arlington Mills	100	12 1/2
Atlantic Cotton Mills	100	7 1/2
Bates Mfg. Co.	100	25 1/2
Higslow Carpet Co.	100	7 1/2
Boott Mills	100	93 1/2
Boston Duck Co.	100	115 1/2
Boston Mfg. Co.	100	110 1/2
Capot Mfg. Co.	100	110 1/2
Chicopee Mfg. Co.	100	125 1/2
Continental Mills	100	103 1/2
Everett Mfg. Co.	100	115 1/2
Edwards Mfg. Co.	100	90 1/2
Essex Co.	100	100 1/2
Beverly Mills	100	160 1/2
Flisher Mfg. Co.	100	124 1/2
Franklin	100	112 1/2
Great Falls Mfg. Co.	100	125 1/2
Hamilton Mfg. Co.	1000	850 1/2
Hamilton Woolen Co.	100	103 1/2
Hill Mfg. Co.	100	115 1/2
Jackson Co.	1000	98 1/2
Lancaster Mills	100	124 1/2
Lawrence Mfg. Co.	100	180 1/2
Lockwood Co.	100	200 1/2
Lowell Bleachery	100	180 1/2
Lowell Hosiery	100	42 1/2
Lyman Mfg. Co.	100	125 1/2
Mace Mills in Conn.	100	100 1/2
Mass. Cotton Mills, Mass.	100	130 1/2
Merrimack Mfg. Co. Mass.	100	58 1/2
Merrimack Mfg. Co. Fla.	100	105 1/2
Midvale Mfg. Co.	100	42 1/2
Monadnock Mills	100	100 1/2
Nashua Mfg. Co.	100	62 1/2
Naukeag Steam Cot. Co.	100	143 1/2
Newmarket Mfg. Co.	100	100 1/2
Otis Mfg. Co.	1000	182 1/2
Pacific Mills	1000	350 1/2
Pepperell Mfg. Co.	100	250 1/2
Plymouth Cordage Co.	100	250 1/2
Salmon Falls Mfg. Co.	100	275 1/2
Shaw Stocking Co.	100	117 1/2
Shawmut Mills	100	62 1/2
Thorndike Mfg. Co.	100	125 1/2
Tremont & Suffolk Mills	100	125 1/2
Waltham B. & D. Works	100	122 1/2
York Mfg. Co.	100	147 1/2

SKETCH SHOWING THE OPERATION OF THE SUCTION SHUTTLE AND CUT OF A NEW SHUTTLE THAT DOES AWAY WITH THE SUCTION FEATURE

The hole through which the thread is drawn by the breath is marked with a cross in the above cut.

the building and cut the mill wall in two for a distance of more than 35 feet. It will be some time before the repairs have been completed. The 1300 horse power engine, worth in the vicinity of \$36,000 is being taken away in pieces and total cost of repairs will amount to more than \$80,000. A big gang of men were working like beavers when a reporter for The Sun dropped in at the scene of the accident yesterday afternoon and the last of the battered engine was being removed. A new smoke flue is being built from the boilers to the chimney and when asked what provision had been made for the abatement of the smoke nuisance, the reporter was told that the economizers had been installed. Mr. Thomas said that the economizers prevented the emission of black smoke. The smoke from the Boott and Massachusetts mills, however, does not do much harm as most of it is carried down the river.

The Electric Plant

The Boott mills are gradually going over to electric power. There is hardly a department that is not being operated in part by electricity and some departments wholly by that power. The Boott is having considerable power from the Lowell Electric Light company at the present time, but Mr. Thomas told the reporter that he expected to be able to dispense with outside assistance within a few days. Generators attached to the water wheels and connected with a steam turbine is the process, simplified, of applying electric power.

The Massachusetts Mills

The Massachusetts mills are making good headway with the new boiler house. The work is being pushed as fast as possible by Contractor Conlon, the iron frame being nearly all in position. The Massachusetts is starting up some Crompton and Knowles looms in its new mill. Some power from the new electric generator is being used in the power house. It is planned to move some of the Crompton and Knowles box looms from No. 2 to No. 1 mill, to get them out of spoiling and warping. New spinning frames and carding machinery are being received, mostly from the Lowell Machine shop.

The electric shunting engine used for several years by the Massachusetts mills is practically out of commission. The increase of business was too much for the electric engine, and a goodly sized steam engine purchased in Philadelphia a short time ago is expected to arrive next week.

Agent Connell Speaks

Asked what he had to say relative to certain criticism relative to the Tremont & Suffolk mills paying a \$40,000 dividend recently, Agent Connell said the war may have meant well, but was not acquainted with his subject. It was only a few weeks ago that the Tremont & Suffolk passed a 2 percent semi-annual dividend. The amount involved was \$40,000, and the criticism was based on the ground that a corporation carrying a surplus of nearly \$2,500,000, with net quick assets of about the same amount, should pass this petty dividend.

In reply to such criticism, Mr. Connell, in conversation with a representa-

pay dividends when they are going around borrowing money.

"Money is not turned over exceptionally quick in the mill business. Take a bale of commercial cotton, for instance. It weighs 500 pounds and see the length of time it takes to make it into cloth. The first thing is to start the bale through the openers, then to the intermediate pickers, to the finisher picker, the card, to processes of drawing, spinning, speeder and second speeder, spinning, spooling, warping, dressing, drawing in, weaving, and then whatever finishing process that is applicable. This process takes several weeks and then we have to wait anywhere from 30 to 60 days for our money, and you can reckon on our expenses for, say 14 weeks, at \$16,500 a week."

"If cotton was back to 8 cents a pound we would have money enough, but with the price of cotton as it is the proposition is a hard one, and the criticism of the passing of the recent semi-annual dividend by this corporation is ill timed and unfair to the directors, who are men of integrity, honesty and ability. The buyers are busy closing up from hand to mouth and some classes of goods that are paid for only once a year, while we have to keep on making them from week to week."

Merrimack Mfg. Co.

The following, having to do with the Merrimack Mfg. Co., is from Fibro and Fabric of even date:

The Merrimack Manufacturing Co. has been prominent in furnishing an extraordinary amount of stock market excitement and at least three leading factors in the market have had a hand in closing up the market. Still nothing has happened, so far as outsiders know, and the shares are both scarce and quiet at the present time.

The improvements at the Lowell plant and the velvet department at Dover, purchased from the Pacific Mills, all contribute materially to the profits of the company, and it looks as if the purchase of the Cochecho property was a very wise move. Now the Merrimack Co. is reaping the results of the years of hard work put in by Charles Fish, the former agent, and it is safe to say that the most profitable department of the corporation is this same velvet plant, as velvets are in unusual demand and the Cochecho velvets are among the best sellers in the trade. At Lowell the plant works is probably the least profitable department, and if the Pacific mills do not take this department when its new print mill is ready, it will be a misfortune for Merrimack shareholders, in our opinion. This print works is like a New England sheep farmer, who has to neglect his flock to watch for the closing of the market. Still, some feature of the property, if we are correctly informed, and it must be especially so if the distribution of territory agreement is in force with the Pacific Mills, as is said to be the case.

At the present time, though, the Merrimack Manufacturing Co. is out of the woods and is making a little money. It can break even and then show a profit even if small, under present conditions. It will be perfect gold mine when business becomes normal.

BASEBALL MAGNATE

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Mr. Dovey of baseball fame, and former manager of the Boston National team, has entered the theatrical business and he is to be a permanent resident of this city. He has leased the Colonial theatre in the I. O. O. F. building in Middlesex street, and it is his intention to give the patrons of his house the best that can be procured. Vaudeville and pictures will compete in the house, and he promises to present bills of equal quality which have never before appeared in this city.

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BILLY HAMILTON

To be Scout for Boston Nationals

HAVERHILL, March 4.—It was announced yesterday that William R. Hamilton, the former National leaguer, will not manage the Haverhill team next season. He has accepted a position as scout for the Boston Nationals and will begin his duties at once.

Hamilton came to this city in 1905 and remained here three seasons. Last year and in 1909 he handled the Lynn club. In accepting a position as scout, Hamilton returns to the club with which he played in the field and he will be associated with one of his old follow-players, Fred Tenney.

The Haverhill club has signed 32 players for next season, and the directors expect to develop a good team. Pres. Donald Cochey has been assisting Hamilton, who accepted terms to manage the club, in securing players. An effort will be made to secure a new manager at once.

NEEDLESS ALARM

CALLED FIREMEN TO LAWRENCE STREET LAST NIGHT

A telephone alarm at 6:02 o'clock last night summoned a portion of the fire department to 90-92 Lawrence street, but when the firemen arrived at the place there was no sign of a fire other than that which was in a stove which had been placed on a piazza.

The stove had evidently been used for drying plaster in the house and in all probability had been taken out of the house prior to the workmen leaving the building.

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If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE PEACE ENVOYS

Cannot Agree on Candidate for Provisional President

WASHINGTON, March 4.—With the peace representatives of General Davila of Honduras and General Bonilla, his revolutionary opponent, looking on, the conferees finally are unable to nominate a provisional president. It is understood that Thomas C. Dawson, the American envoy to the conferences in San Salvador, will accept the responsibility, as he has been requested by the peace commissioners, of making a selection. Mr. Dawson is clothed with plenary powers in offering the good offices of the United States and it is said will do his utmost to bring the factions together before entering the breach directly by acceding to the peace commissioner's request that he name a temporary president.

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FUNERALS

VON RYDINGSVARD.—The funeral of Mrs. Anna M. Von Rydingsvard took place yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from her home in North Chelmsford. Christian Science services were conducted by Mrs. Paul B. Weston. Appropriate selections were sung by Miss Blanche Holt. The bearers were Charles J. and Edward L. Davis, Wm. H. Hoole and Albert A. Farnsworth. The body was placed in the rearing tomb in the Dunstable cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BAGSHAW.—The funeral services of Margaret Bagshaw took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, Walter and Josephine Bagshaw, 143 Sanders avenue, at 2 o'clock, and were largely attended by relatives and friends. There were many beautiful floral tributes. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. R. Harkins, pastor of St. Margaret's church. The bearers were Masters Johnson, Frederick Johnson, Stephen Johnson, Frederick Johnson, Walter Johnson and Daniel Coughlin. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker P. H. Savage.

LEARY.—The funeral of Bridget Leary took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Higgins Brothers in Lawrence street. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. John McGinness. The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Miss May Whiteley rendered "Pie Jesu" and as the body was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung.

By Mr. James E. Donnelly. The bearers were Messrs. Austin Thorne, Thomas J. McDermott, Pat Maroney and Peter McDermott. The interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. MacGuinness. The funeral was under the direction of Higgins Bros.

DEATHS

YOUNG.—Mrs. Elizabeth Young, aged 39 years, died yesterday at her home, 33 West street. She leaves her husband, James, a daughter, four sisters, Misses Sarah and Catherine McLean, Mrs. Margaret Kennan of this city, and Mrs. McGinley of Andover, also a brother, William McLean of this city. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker McDermott in Gosham street.

BLAKE.—Albion H. Blake, aged 63 years, died yesterday afternoon at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Cora Marshall, 538 Varum avenue. Deceased leaves one daughter and a grandson, Arnold B. Marshall.

DEVOLL.—Died, March 4th, in this city, Miss Rebecca T. Devoll, aged 29 years, at the home of her parents, Andrew J. and Catherine Cad Devoll, 48 Methuen street. Besides her parents she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Charles B. Randall of Phoenix, R. I., and Mrs. Arthur E. Dole of Concord, N. H., also one brother, Mr. Cabot Devoll of this city.

McFADDEN.—Mary Ellen McFadden, aged one month, daughter of Thomas and Emma McFadden, died last night at the home of her parents, 65 Arnyan street.

KERSHAW.—Edwin F. Kershaw, aged 56 years, died this morning at his residence, 2 Simpson place. Besides his widow, Elizabeth, he is survived by one son, Frederick G., and a daughter, Belle E. Deceased was a member of Oberlin lodge, I. O. O. F.

PENDERGAST.—Joseph Pendergast, aged 13 years and 11 months, died last night at the home of his parents, 629 East Merrimack street, after a short illness. He was born in Centerville and lived there all his life till a couple of months ago when he moved with his parents to East Merrimack street. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pendergast; four brothers, George, John, Frederick and James; and three sisters, Irene, Mary and Christina.

McKEON.—Mr. John G. McKeeon, a well known and highly respected resident of this city, died at his home, 55 West street, aged 48 years. Mr. McKeeon was a devout attendant at St. Michael's church and a well known member of Court City of Lowell, Foresters of America. He is survived by his wife, Mary Ellen, one son, Gabriel C., two daughters, Mary and Theresa, also his mother, Mrs. Catherine McKeeon, two brothers, Michael and James, and five sisters, Misses Jane, Catherine, and Bridget, Mrs. Bridget, and Mrs. Patrick Boland. Friends are earnestly requested not to send flowers.

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The board of health should get ready for a big job of spring cleaning.

The United Mine Workers have thrown their best leader, in ousting John Mitchell.

The suction shuttle must go. The onward march of factory sanitation has decreed against it.

SENATOR LODGE SIDESTEPS

Why Senator Lodge relinquished the sponsorship for the tariff board bill and turned it over to Senator Beveridge of Indiana was the subject of a lively debate in the U. S. senate the other day. It would appear that Senator Lodge wished to evade the responsibility. He undoubtedly feels that his prominence in pushing the Payne-Aldrich bill was not appreciated.

AMERICAN PEACE SOCIETY IN JAPAN

The Americans residing in Japan have formed a Peace society, the object of which is to cultivate friendly relations between Japan and the United States. The society was organized at Yokohama on the 30th ult. and the action taken and sentiments expressed brought out very favorable comments in the Japanese newspapers. The Japan Gazette praised the purpose of the meeting at which this action was taken and paid a high compliment to U. S. Ambassador Thomas E. O'Brien for the frank and fearless spirit of his speech in the course of which he said:

"Let me assure you, Mr. President, ladies and gentlemen—and I ought to know something about it—that there is no cause under the sun why there should be distrust between the people of these two countries. There are no questions of importance pending, and no business being conducted diplomatically which should excite the suspicions or make the slightest trouble between the two peoples."

This action and the changes in the treaty relations between this country and Japan have resulted in a more friendly feeling on the part of the Japanese towards this country. This was shown when 5000 Japanese residents of Honolulu turned out in parade to celebrate Washington's birthday. While we hold the Philippines we cannot afford to break with Japan, and that explains why we must concede so much to the whims of the Japanese people.

THE ROAD TO SUCCESS

There will always be found many men discontented with their lot and envying others who may have attained better positions by harder work or more scientific methods.

That is one of the greatest obstacles to success in this busy world today. It recalls the fable of the dog with a bone in his mouth when crossing a stream. Seeing the reflection of the bone he carried, he dropped the substance to grasp at the shadow. That is analogous to what many people do when they neglect or abandon their regular occupation or business to enter some other. They know the disadvantages of that in which they are now engaged; but they may not know the drawbacks of that they wish to enter.

There is in every business certain principles to be learned and applied before success can be attained. The man who views a house, an apartment or a calling from the outside cannot have an accurate idea of it, and hence it is foolish for anybody to judge of an avocation without the positive knowledge necessary to guide the judgment. The man who keeps shifting from one calling to another, or from one place to another will seldom achieve real success which depends mainly upon continued effort in one direction.

Mountains have been bored through and tunnels constructed by the process of continual drilling, by boring into the solid rock, then excavating and propping up the sides. This requires perseverance, and so does every task of any importance. To accomplish such a feat it would be futile to bore a little distance in one direction, then change to another direction in the hope of finding a shorter way.

Some of the greatest failures in every business result from lack of concentration on one thing or of continued effort in one direction.

It was Ruskin who said: "If you want knowledge you must toil for it; if food you must toil for it, and if pleasure you must toil for it; toil is the law."

Emerson says that "no way has been found for making heroism easy, even for the scholar. Labor, iron labor, is for him. The world was created as an audience for him; the atoms of which it is made are opportunities." "Labor omnia vincit," or "Labor conquers all things," was the maxim of the ancients, and "Laborare est orare"—To work is to pray," was first enunciated by a Roman sage. Both maxims are as true today as of old, yet there are many who do not believe in honest work. It is surprising to find how many eschew toil and endeavor to live by dishonest means or by the toil of others.

Carlyle asserts the unspeakable holiness of work and honors but the toiling craftsman and the man who toils for the spiritually indispensable, not daily bread but the bread of life. These two he honors and all else he regards as "chaff and dust." Assuming that work is the gospel of practical life, it is further to be said that to be successful the work must be intelligent and along right lines.

Excellence is attained only by oft repeated effort in the right direction. Excellence is the result of work, hard work. Many of those who are said to be gifted with genius possess only the power to work hard with the hope of doing things better at every new attempt. He who gets the habit of carelessness in execution will never attain excellence. Every great artist that ever lived worked hard to improve his natural gifts. Men may be born with the talent for poetry or art; but like the statue that lies hidden in the block of marble, their gifts might never come to light but for the effects of education. The persevering worker who sets his face towards the highest excellence may not reach the goal, as few ever do, but he will at least accomplish that widely desired end known as success.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Signist, the man who slashed Rembrandt's "Nightwatch," has disappeared, and may be in this country now. Arrested on the spot, he was released on his own recognizance, and immediately took advantage of the opportunity afforded him by the Dutch law. A sentence of two years' imprisonment awaits him if he ever returns home.

The Somerville school committee has promoted Harry L. Jones, sub-master in the English high school and for several years connected with the conduct of athletic sports by the two Somerville high schools, to be the supervisor of manual training in the Boys' Industrial school. This duty will be added to his previous school work, and he will receive an increase of \$300 in salary.

The homage paid to Slinger, the dead German socialist, was something out of all reckoning. Berlin had a deeply impressive exhibition of the numerical might and armylike discipline of the German proletariat on the day when a million people attended, either as participants or sympathetic observers, the funeral obsequies of the great social democrat.

The dead idol's remains were borne to the grave in a procession five miles long which was as many hours passing a given point. There has been no such mourning by the populace since the burial of the Emperor William I. twenty-three years ago. Estimates vary as to the number of the marching mourners. None places them lower than 150,000, while the multitudinous throngs which they threatened their way and which choked the intersecting streets from the Vorwarts offices in the center of the city to the Friedrichsfelde cemetery, entirely baffled computation. If one were to include the "revellers" crowding the windows, balconies and roofs throughout the populous east end of Berlin, one would not be far astray. It is said, in calculating that a third of the population of the metropolis paid a tribute to Herr Slinger's memory.

Apart from the numerical magnitude, the outstanding feature of the funeral was the enormous number of magnificent wreaths. There could not have been fewer than 2,000. All four feet in diameter. Each was carried shoulder high between a pair of stalwart mourners. The wreaths were embellished with broad red streamers with inscriptions expressing fervent socialist sentiments.

From one of the many points a full half-mile of scarlet blooms and waving ribbon could be surveyed. Floral offerings came from organizations in England, France, Belgium, Holland and the rest of Europe. The city of Berlin was officially represented at the funeral by the chief and vice burgomasters and members of the city council, to which Herr Slinger belonged.

Sir John Murray, the eminent British naturalist and geologist who is reported as recovering from a critical illness with which he was taken recently in Boston while delivering a series of lectures at the Lowell institute, was born at Coburg, Ont., March 3, 1841. He was educated in the public schools of London, Ont., then went to Victoria college at Coburg, after which he continued his study along the chosen lines at Edinburgh university. There he distinguished himself, winning a large number of prizes and medals. Leaving Edinburgh he began active exploration. Aboard a whaling vessel he visited Spitzbergen and the Arctic regions in 1863. Later, he accompanied the British expedition appointed to explore the physical conditions of great ocean basins. Afterward he was a member of the expeditions for the exploration of the Bay of Biscay. Between 1886 and 1899 he made many expeditions among tropical countries with which he was connected by his contributions to scientific knowledge the order of knighthood was conferred upon him in 1898.

AN ENTERTAINMENT

TO RAISE FUNDS TO BEAUTIFY SCHOOL GROUNDS

An entertainment will be given in the Moody school hall at 3.30 next Tuesday afternoon the proceeds of which will be used to beautify the school grounds. The program is as follows:

Mixed quartet, "Red, Red Rose," Mrs. G. H. Spalding, Miss May L. Eveleth, Mr. Herbert P. Whipple, Mr. Hugh Johnson; soprano solo, "An Open Secret," Miss Dorothy Hurd; soprano and contralto duet, "Carmena," Misses Kelly and Eveleth; trio, "Ecoutez, Ecoutez," Misses Kelly, Hurd and Johnson; violin solo, "Heide-Kali," Mr. Edward Elton; two sopranos, duet, "Neath the Stars," Miss Kelly and Mrs. Spalding; basso solo, "A Dream," Mr. Johnson; ladies' quartet, "Four Little Country Maids," Misses Hurd, Kelly, Eveleth and Mrs. Spalding. Messrs. P. F. Sullivan, Chas. S. Lilley, J. J. Pickman, E. S. Hylen, F. C. Church, Harry Dunlap and John E. Drury have contributed eighteen trees for the school yard.

WHEAT RECEIPTS

A Decrease in the Interior Markets

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Decreased receipts of wheat at leading interior markets, and smaller shipments of flour are the leading features of the commercial movements of breadstuffs during January of the present year, as reported by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor. For the first time also the monthly exports of wheat, were less in quantity than the exports of corn.

Grain receipts during January at 15 important markets, 69,493,731 bushels, show but little variation from the January figures of the preceding year, and the January average for the preceding 5-year period. The total inland movement was made up of 16,494,484 bushels of wheat; 29,482,533 bushels of corn; 15,437,593 bushels of oats; 5,157,041 bushels of barley; and 752,080 bushels of rye. As compared with corresponding 1910 figures for the more important grains, the receipts of corn, oats, and barley, show larger totals, while those of wheat show a sharp decline from the corresponding monthly total. It should be stated that this decline is not a peculiar feature of the January receipts. As a matter of fact wheat receipts for all the months of the current season beginning with September were lower than the year before, indicating either heavier receipts at the smaller markets, for which no official reports are had, or else larger stocks in the hands of the producers. The decrease may be said to affect almost equally the spring wheat and the winter wheat markets. Wheat receipts at these markets for the five months of the present crop period fell more than 20 per cent. short of like receipts during the 1909-10 season and about 13 per cent. short of the average receipts during the same period for the preceding five crop seasons. The corn receipts at fifteen interior markets for the five months, 114,204,165 bushels, were heavier than for the same periods in the preceding five seasons, the larger receipts for the current season corresponding to the large export demand at the Atlantic ports. The five month receipts of oats, 9,637,225 bushels, were larger, while those of barley, 44,507,655 bushels, smaller than for the preceding season. The total grain receipts during the five months period since September were 319,746,192 bushels, compared with 400,270,483 bushels for the same period last year, and an average of over 406 million bushels for the preceding five-year period. The January shipments of flour from thirteen milling centers, 7,765,804 barrels, likewise show an unfavorable turn as compared with the figures of the preceding months, and the corresponding January, 1910, total.

The month witnessed increased receipts of corn in four principal Atlantic ports, 10,485,722 bushels, compared with 7,330,815 bushels received during January, 1910, and 5,437,814 bushels received during January, 1909. Wheat receipts at the four Atlantic ports totaled only 1,240,475 bushels, compared with 3,384,000 bushels received in January, 1910, and 4,309,490 bushels received in January, 1909, the exports at these ports showing corresponding declines. As a matter of fact, of the total domestic exports of wheat for the month, 278,151 bushels, almost 75 per cent, was shipped from the Pacific ports, the exports from Portland, Oregon, and Puget Sound points leading those from any other custom district, both for the month as well as for the cumulative period since July, 1910. It should be stated though, that the seven months' wheat exports for the present fiscal year, 17,195,723 bushels, were practically only one-third of the average seven months' exports for the preceding five-year period. The largest shrinkage in the wheat exports is shown by the Gulf ports, particularly Galveston and New Orleans.

The total flour exports for the seven months' period ending January, 1911, 5,848,749 barrels, were about 28 per cent. below the average exports for the seven months of the preceding five years. The seven months' flour exports from the four leading Atlantic ports are given as 411,854 barrels, compared with 780,561 barrels in 1910 and 1,317,180 barrels in 1909. The corn exports for the seven months' period of the present fiscal year, 28,356,450 bushels, were larger than in 1909 and 1910 and exceeded in quantity those of wheat, though falling considerably below like exports during the years prior to 1909. The exports of barley during the seven months of the present fiscal year, 8,229,641 bushels, proceeded from St. Louis, St. Paul and Minneapolis, showing a large gain over like exports in earlier years.

The value of all breadstuffs exported during the seven months of the present year was \$72,555,445, showing a decline of 23 per cent, as compared with the figures for the preceding year, and a loss of about 45 million dollars since 1905, notwithstanding the considerable rise in prices since that year.

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THE STATE BOARD

To Distribute Seed of Field Corn

At the annual meeting of the state board of agriculture the board approved the recommendation of Secretary Ellsworth, that he secure seed of superior strains of field corn, mainly of Flint varieties, and distribute small quantities to such farmers as will agree to plant and care for it properly, and return double the amount received, for further distribution.

The first distribution under this plan will take place at the office of the State Board of Agriculture, room 138, state house, Boston, on Friday, March 15th next, beginning at 11 o'clock a.m. The terms are as above stated, each farmer to receive not exceeding three ears, according to the number applying for the same, with the agreement that he shall plant the same, where it will not mix with other strains, and, if successful in its culture, return double the number of ears in the autumn of 1911.

The board will hold a corn exhibition in its office at some date to be determined later and those receiving this seed corn will be asked to exhibit at that time.

No trouble or expense has been spared in securing good corn for this distribution, some excellent strains being included in the lot which Secretary Ellsworth has on hand, among others those of Mr. George E. Stickney, of Newbury, Mass., who took first prize for the best ear of Flint corn at the New England corn exposition; Mr. Harry Chapin, of Sheffield, Mass., winner of the first prize for the largest yield of Flint corn per acre, and Mr. Percy E. Davis, of Granby, Mass., who took the Bowker prize for the largest yield per acre at the same show.

The object of the distribution is to improve the quality of the corn grown in the state, and this, it is believed, can be best accomplished by a wide distribution of seed among a large number of growers. As one Worcester county farmer succeeded in growing six bushels of well-ripened corn from the seed obtained from one ear of the Stickney corn, in 1910, it will be seen that any grower can get a very good start toward improvement by securing his share in this distribution.

The scientific side of the question will not be neglected and Dr. George M. Twitcheall, of Maine, himself a successful corn breeder, will give his lecture, "A plain story from the corn field," at the rooms of the board, on the date above mentioned. All are invited to attend this lecture, even though their plans are not such as to include taking advantage of the seed distribution.

Realizing that there will be many farmers throughout the state who will not be able to come to the office of the board, and who will yet desire to avail themselves of this opportunity, Secretary Ellsworth will send the allotted number of ears to any such applicant by mail for the same preference to be given to those attending the meeting, and other applications to be filled in order of their receipt, if the supply allows. Application should be made to J. Lewis Ellsworth, Sec. State Board of Agriculture, State House, Boston, Mass.

REAL ESTATE

Transactions Recorded During the Week

The following real estate sales for Lowell and suburban towns were recorded at the registry of deeds for the present week:

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Kate T. Dimon to Cora K. Barrows, land and buildings on Parkview ave. \$1.

Omer Deziel to Ubald Allard, land and buildings on Cheever st. \$1.

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ARTHUR, W. The new estimator. 690.190
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BRANNIT, W. T. editor. Metal work: a handy-book of receipts and processes. 670.281
CRANTON, G. W. and others. Applied Ideals in work with boys. 170.391
DEWANT, D. Magic made easy 130.251
MERSON, H. H. H. as a basis for operation and wages. 320.727
FORBUSH, W. B. Church work with boys 260.302
POWELL, N. J. and others. The boy: how to help him succeed. 170.458
GELSTON, W. L. Organizations for 1911. 170.553
GEORGE, W. R. The junior republic. 350.324
HOPKINS, A. A. Profit and loss in 320.504
KENNEDY, Mrs. M. G. Our boys and girls: how to interest and instruct them in this study. 370.501
LLOYD, H. D. Lords of industry. 330.650
MARSTEN, F. E. Mask of Christian Science. 1917.9
MATTHEWS, J. L. Remaking the Misses. 1917.9
MERINGTON, M. Holiday plays 320.931
MILLER, J. H. Winning the boy. 240.561
PHILIPS, B. M. compiler. Selected articles on woman suffrage. 320.451
RUSSELL, C. E. R. and RIGBY, L. M. 320.451
SAMSON, C. G. How to plan a house. 720.167
SPARROW, W. S. Hints on house furnishing. 720.167
STEPHENS, G. Boy of the street. 170.457
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BAR AND BOTTLE

REBEL TROOPS THREATEN CHIHUAHUA DANGEROUSLY AND CITY SUFFERS

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Hearings on the Bill to Repeal Measure Brought to a Close

BOSTON, March 4.—The legislative committee on the liquor law held sessions morning and afternoon at the state house yesterday and closed the hearings on all the bills relative to the repeal of the bar and bottle bill and the classification of licenses proposition. Although the attendance was not as large as the other day, when the committee heard the bill for the repeal of the bar and bottle act, there was still comparatively little standing room in the chamber throughout the day.

The various reclassification bills took up all the morning session. The particular bill on which most attention was laid by the petitioners was house bill 501, on petition of Thomas J. Fuller. The bill reclassifies liquor licenses in such a manner that the first class reads that the dealer may "sell liquors of any kind, to be drunk on the premises, and in quantities of less than five gallons."

The petitioners were represented by Thomas F. Strange. The important point made by Mr. Strange was this: Under the first license law the retail dealer was granted a first class license which permitted him to sell liquor to be drunk on the premises. Under the internal revenue regulations the dealer was also allowed to sell up to five gallons. Then came a time when the city of Boston needed new or additional funds and some way was sought to raise them.

The existing board at that time a city institution, conceived that idea of splitting the fourth class license into fourth A and fourth B and compelled the holder of the first class license to take out in conjunction with it the fourth class A, which permitted the sale of bottled liquors. This was the arbitrary act of the existing commission without any assistance from the legislature.

Thomas M. Doherty, the temperance lecturer, spoke against the bar and bottle act in the interest of "true gospel temperance." The man that ought to be helped, he said, is the poor drunkard and the bar and bottle act helps him, at least of all. He said he prayed to God for the repeal of that act, "not for republicans or democrats, not for liquor sellers, or prohibitionists or cranks, but for the poor drunkard, who must be helped."

Reclassification Bill Opposed. The reclassification bill was opposed by Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, who led off for the remonstrants. He stated that there was no such revenue tax by the United States government as stated by the petitioners' representatives. He termed the bill an attempt to repeal the bar and bottle act.

Miss Alice L. Higgins, general secretary of the Associated Charities of Boston, was against the pending bill. She claimed that 33 per cent. of the sickness of today is due to intemperance and the repeal of the bar and bottle act would be the greatest of evils. The introduction of the bottle into the home is just the same as the introduction of the bar into the home, she said.

Committee Chairman O'Donnell asked her if it would not be just as easy for a man to get a bottle in the grocery store after the bar and bottle bill took effect as it was before it.

To this, Miss Higgins replied, that if the bar and bottle bill was repealed this year there were other legislatures coming and the attempt would be made to put on the statute books again. She replied that she was not a satisfied Representative O'Donnell.

Thomas Brennan of the Boston social union said the present conditions are harmful to the people of Boston, and that in some sections of the city it is a common thing for men to drink till the saloons close and then they go to the streets for consumption or sale in the alleys and side streets of the neighborhood.

Meyer Bloomfield said he represents a district of 36,700 people which is an open sewer for the chain of liquor license laws which afflict the decency of the city. He said he had seen the police and the police and the licensing authorities to prevent the sale of liquors to intoxicated men. The present system puts a premium on hitting a man and his family when he is down.

E. A. Gilman of Boston said he devoted his evenings to observing violations of the liquor laws. He had seen numerous cases of these violations and had brought some of them to the attention of the licensing board. He had secured action by the board in two cases. He found the licensing board absolutely fair.

At the afternoon session each side was given an hour to close on both the classification and the bar-and-bottle repeal bills.

Robert A. Wood, for the opposition, called several witnesses, among whom

was Rev. Dr. O. P. Gifford of Brookline for the Boston federation of churches, who opposed any repeal of the act of last year. He believed the act will diminish drunkenness.

Mrs. Frank L. Young of the Dorchester woman's club, 500 members, asked for a fair trial of the act. She appealed for the woman whose husband is incapacitated by rum. "The source of life is woman," make it easier for us to live," said Mrs. Young.

Ex-Mayor Frederick Eastick of Fitchburg said that in the last license campaign his city was flooded with circular appeals to the voter to vote for license on the ground that the bar and bottle act would be in operation and that it would be conducive to temperance if there was license in the city.

Rev. Christopher R. Elliot of the Boston federation of churches spoke against repeal.

Mr. Wood called upon those who were in the room to state whom they represented outside of the federation of churches, and the Reform club, Good Templars and various church societies were named.

"And who do you represent?" asked Mr. Wood of the last remaining individual, a solemn-faced person.

"I represent the bartenders' union, 2500 members," was the wholly unexpected reply.

There was a roar of laughter. "What?" said Mr. Wood.

"The bartenders' union, 2500 members," reiterated the delegate, who was evidently nonplussed by the shouts of laughter.

"Evidently he is in the right church, but in the wrong pew," remarked opposing counsel Edward A. McLaughlin.

Thomas F. Strange closed in 20 minute argument for the repeal of the act. He declared that all the argument in favor of this act was prohibition. These people who had been sent up to the state house applaud the other side and make it as uncomfortable as they could for his side.

Robert A. Wood and M. M. Johnson divided the time closing for the opponents of the repeal of the bar and bottle act.

Mr. Wood said that if it was true that the bartender wouldn't sell a drunken man then the 50,000 drunkards arrested last year got their liquor from some other source.

Mr. Johnson said that the campaign had been a campaign of abuse and blackguardism. The legislature had said that this bill was a good thing.

LEADING DOCTOR

Marries His \$17,000,000 Patient

NEW YORK, March 4.—For a second time Mrs. Julia Watt Morris Curless of Bridgeport, Conn., and New York, has married her physician. This time her choice has fallen upon Dr. George Alfred Lawrence, the neurologist of 675 Madison avenue. Dr. Lawrence is spending the winter in Philadelphia, after having been secretly married on Feb. 14, in Wilmington, Del.

The bride's first husband was Peter Morris of Boston, from whom she obtained a divorce in 1897. She had three children by the first marriage, and before she took Dr. Rollin A. Curless for a second husband, he had been her private physician and tutor of her eldest son.

Dr. Curless and his wife were divorced in 1904. Dr. Lawrence thus is marrying Mrs. Curless becomes her third husband, but her second choice as a physician.

Mrs. Lawrence inherited about \$17,000,000 from Archibald Watt and Mary G. Plunkney, and after a career of extravagance, in 1907, she was declared incompetent to manage her affairs.

THE IRISH LEAGUE

ARRANGING FOR BIG MEETING ON MARCH 19

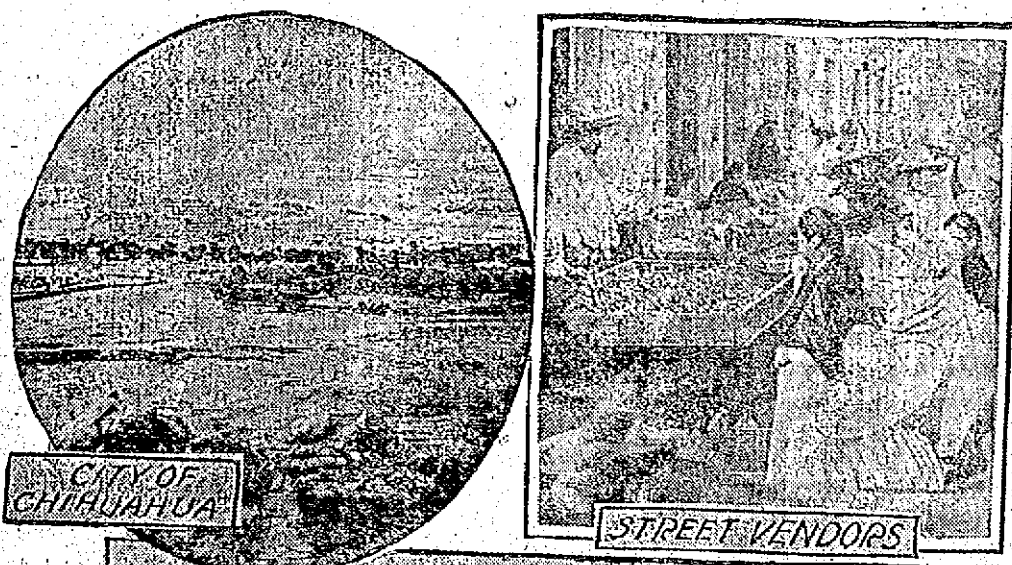
The United Irish league will hold an important meeting in A. O. H. hall tomorrow evening to complete arrangements for the lecture and demonstration on Sunday evening, March 19, in aid of the home rule cause. On that occasion one of the speakers will be Capt. Edward O'Meara Condon, connected with the office of supervising architect in the United States treasury department at Washington. He is a native Irish patriot and well known. The other speakers will be Mr. John O'Callaghan, national secretary of the United Irish league. There are no two other men living better informed on the Irish question than Messrs. Condon and O'Callaghan. There will be other attractive features on the program and altogether the meeting promises to be one of the best ever held in Lowell.

At the meeting tomorrow evening an address will be delivered by Mr. Richard Lyons, a former president and a musical and literary program will also be carried out. All members and friends of the cause are invited to attend.

PITCHER COOKE

WILL NOT PLAY BASEBALL ON SUNDAY

CHICAGO, March 4.—President Murphy looks for a moral uplift among the members of the training squad when they return from the south. Cooke, the pitching recruit from Peoria, son of an Arkansas minister, is supposed to be playing on Sunday and asked to be excused from Sabbath duty, when he signed his contract. Both President Murphy and Manager Chance respected his wishes in the matter and granted his request. Cooke is expected to fill the gap made by Overall's refusal to play this season.



EL PASO, March 4.—The rebel troops having centered around Chihuahua in large numbers, and railroad communication with the locality having been for the most part destroyed, the city is in immediate danger of falling into the hands of the insurgents. Telegrams received from Chihuahua say that owing to the railroads being cut off north and south the price of provisions is rising rapidly and foreigners and natives alike are suffering on account of stagnation of business. The troops dare not go outside of town for fear of being trapped by the insurgents. One dispatch says the town is alarmed by reports that the city's surrender has been demanded. An estimate places the number of insurgents west of the city at 1,500, with Madero and his force advancing from the north.

CHERBOURG, France, March 4.—Jose Ives Limantour, Mexican minister of finance, has sailed for New York on the North German Lloyd steamer Kronprinz Wilhelm, accompanied by his wife. The minister has been in Paris since August. His mission was to place in Europe bonds in conversion of the Mexican national debt to the amount of \$110,000,000. One-half of the issue has been placed, but the minister decided not to dispose of the remainder at this time.

White's most dramatic story, "Conjuror's House," Mr. Stanley will be seen in the role of "Ned Trent," a free trader who, because his father had been sent to his death by the factor of particular trading post, has decided to secure the necessary proofs against the man whose life is to be the payment of the crime. Trent is ordered out of the territory by the factor, but he returns, is captured and informed that unless he becomes an employee of the post he will be sent on a long voyage, or into the wilderness without provisions or rifle. Trent refuses to become one of them and through the love of the factor's daughter he secures the necessary firearms and escapes. His capture and final pardon are brought about through what are said to be scenes of the dramatic construction. The locale being Northwesterly Canada, permits of elaborate scenic settings which have been prepared by the mechanical staff employed at the Opera House. The first of the daily matinees next week will begin on Tuesday, when souvenir photographs of some member of the stock company will be given to every lady holding a reserved seat ticket. Seats are now on sale for all performances and the advance sale indicates a lively interest in the forthcoming production.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Next week's attraction at this popular little playhouse will be James Slevin's dramatization of Augusta Evans Wilson's famous novel, "St. Elmo," presented by the Donald Meek Stock Co. with Severin De Deyn. The popularity of the theatre-going public is familiar with this charming story of life in the south, with its fearless type of men, its strong emotions, its delicious humor, and its absorbing love story, and it is doubtful if any novel written in the past decade has been so widely read as this beautiful story of the Tennessee, which tells of the great love of St. Elmo Murray for the poor little girl, Edna Earle. "St. Elmo" is essentially a comedy drama, the atmosphere and characters southern, and the Lookout Mountain, Tennessee, during the Civil war period, consequently, the play affords a splendid opportunity for excellent stage settings.

Act one discloses a beautiful garden in the Tennessee mountains, act two depicts the interior of St. Elmo's home at Le Bogue four years later, act three the village church, one month later, and act four, a drawing room at Le Bogue one year later.

Severin De Deyn will be seen in the title role, and it is doubtful if he has appeared to better advantage since his return to Lowell at the head of this popular organization of players. Miss Buck as Edna Earle, a beautiful, dashing, courageous girl of the south of half a century ago, is seen at her best. She invests the character with a charm that is irresistible.

Donal Meek, George J. Morgan, William Thompson, Tom Hall, James Davett, Ada Allen, Ninon Duval, and Doris Dutton are all congenially cast, and a pleasing performance is assured. "St. Elmo" carries the audience back to the days of strife, when the south was struggling for her independence. In preparation, "Old Heidelberg."

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

One of these mysterious offerings which is not only marvelous in what it displays, but tantalizing in the fathomable methods employed by the artist.

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Husband of Lowell Woman Was Injured at Bridgeport

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 4.—Frank Payne, a young aviator of this city, who was to have made an exhibition flight at the Seaside park aerodrome here today, lies in the Bridgeport hospital severely bruised and suffering from shock as the result of an accident to his Curtiss biplane that occurred late yesterday afternoon. His machine is a wreck, and it seems almost miraculous that the young aviator escaped with his life.

Arrangements had been made by the city officials for the exhibition today, and Payne had been practicing daily for the event. The wind was nearer perfect for flying yesterday than it had been any time this week.

Payne went through the stunts yesterday morning which he was to perform today. Yesterday afternoon he continued, and each effort with success until about 4 o'clock, when there was a drizzling rain falling, and he decided to make a more pretentious trial.

He left the ground beautifully, and had flown fully 1000 feet just over the tree-tops when he attempted to make a landing in a cleared place. He evidently miscalculated, and the left wing of his plane caught in a branch of a tree about 90 feet above the ground.

The aviator was seen to attempt to right the machine as it swung, but could not get it clear of the tree and it dove into the ground like a seagull dives for a fish.

When it landed Payne was underneath the biplane, the machine a total wreck.

There were no doctors in the crowd, but the ambulance was called, and soon as spectators pulled the wrecked machine from the crumpled up body of

the aviator, he was taken to Bridgeport hospital. He partly regained consciousness before reaching the hospital.

To the astonishment of all, it was found on examination that Payne's only injuries were two severe cuts over and underneath his left eye, a chest and innumerable body and leg bruises. Not a bone was broken. The shock to his nervous system, however, is considerable. The doctors say they can find no evidences of internal injuries.

LOWELL GIRL

IS THE WIFE OF THE INJURED AVIATOR

Mr. and Mrs. William Naylor of this city are the parents of Mrs. Payne, whose husband was injured at Bridgeport. Mrs. Naylor said she feared constantly there might be an accident when she learned that her son-in-law had become an aviator.

Mrs. Naylor said her son-in-law made some aviation flights in New York, and the flight at Bridgeport she supposed was to be made today.

Mr. Payne is about 30 years old. He is employed by his father, who is in the packing business in Wilkesboro, Pa. Miss Jennie E. Naylor and Frank Payne were married here about two years ago. Rev. George B. Dean, then pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church, officiating.

Mrs. Naylor believed that Mr. Payne was not dangerously hurt, as her daughter would have sent word by telegram or word. She have telephoned to Lowell had he been.

entirely. It is a landmark in motion picture photography and should be seen by everyone who is interested in good pictures.

COLONIAL THEATRE

It is a well balanced show that Mr. Dovey, the new lessee of the Colonial, is giving at his theatre for the last three days of this week. "Raleigh and the Lost City," "The Other Side," and "The Making of a Hero," are a team of the best of the new pictures.

Mr. Dovey's "The Making of a Hero" is above the average. Mr. Dovey uses only licensed films including those of the American Biograph and Pathé, and will produce them first in this city, getting them ahead of other theatres. The children should see the "Captivity of William Tell," that is a picture of the greatest interest. It is a picture of the greatest interest. It is a picture of the greatest interest.

There are lots of other choice bits on the bill, "The Making of a Hero" and "The Making of a Hero," to be familiar, one of the most popular comedy teams on the road, appear in a screen, called "Woman, Woman, Woman." It's a laugh all through.

Miss May Duryea and her company present a one-act play called "The Imposter." This is from the pen of Edmund Day, the author of "The Roundup," so that patrons will appreciate what this offering means. The company is an excellent one, well calculated to present this little play with proper appreciation.

Shorty Edwards—two feet of fun, he says—small, but what there is of him is amusing very much so. The little comedian is a sure laugh provider, and has a monolog worth hearing. Ray F. Dennis, at the special request of numerous patrons, will remain as soloist for one more week.

Of course the pictures will be all new and of the best.

There will be the usual three concerts, Sunday at 2, 7 and 9 o'clock respectively. There will be a feature bill and new pictures.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

An act that will be very pleasing to the children especially, today is that of Sir General the world's most highly educated pony. This little animal performs all kinds of stunts such as spelling names, telling time and making change in dollars and cents from a cash register. "Alean" is a clever ventriloquist and will amuse with his funny mechanical figures. "McIntosh and Franklin" will sing and dance in a fascinating manner. There will be a sacred concert on Sunday. The vaudeville features for Monday will include: Dunn Bros. comedians, and dancers; John B. Cooke & Co. in a comedy playlet, "Blunkley's Last Trick," McPhie & Hill, comedy aerial novelty act.

THEATRE VOYONS

Commencing Monday the Theatre Voyons will show a three-reel production of "The Tale of Two Cities," well known as in its literary form, the novel by Charles Dickens. It has been read by thousands. It also has been played as a dramatic production under the titles of Sydney Carton and The Only, Henry Miller starring in the latter version. The three-reel production is one of the best made and tells the story in its

CZAR OF RUSSIA

To Finish Work Begun by Grandfather

ST. PETERSBURG, March 4.—In an Imperial rescript published yesterday, Emperor Nicholas announces his intention to complete his grandfather's work for the emancipation of the serfs by transforming the peasants into not free but economically strong and land owners. This may be achieved, the emperor says, by affording the peasants facilities to leave their communes and by improvement in agricultural science.

Czar Nicholas II. in his effort to supplement the task begun by his grandfather, Alexander II, already has gone to lengths that would not have been predicted in the first years of his reign. In August, 1907, he issued a ukase transferring 4,500,000 acres of crown lands to the Peasants' bank for sale to peasants on easy terms, and on the 13th of October, following, another ukase released them to a large extent from the restraints of the communal system. This law of subdivision of property has been going on throughout European Russia in a way which has greatly surprised the best friends of the nation, and as administered by M. Stolypin it has been one of the most creditable reforms of his administration.

One of the measures before the present Duma has been a rural holding law, which authorizes the consolidation of isolated holdings by exchange with owners of adjacent lands. It creates the necessary surveying and appraisal commissions, and even admits the principle of expropriation when owners of intervening strips refuse to sell.

Evidently the czar and prime minister now have in mind further extension of this movement among the peasantry which makes it a direction of individual ownership of land and, in consequence, for conservatism. They also apparently have outlined a system of training of the peasantry and small farmers in rudimentary agricultural science which they so much need. Here the czar and his advisers may well turn to the United States for a model of what a national department of agriculture, aided by agricultural colleges and experiment stations, can do in diffusing knowledge that benefits tillers of the soil and also the national exchequer.

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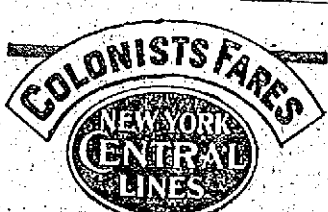
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HERE IT IS—THE TROUSERETTE SKIRT



A CREATION OF POIRET'S.

WOMEN in all states of the Union haven't succeeded in getting all their rights, the ballot and other civic accessories, but the spring fashions have given them the trouserette skirt, which is a step, so the suffragettes may think, in the right direction. Its creator, Paul Poiret of Paris, says that, "despite its very novel features, this costume is not likely to arouse criticism on the ground of immodesty." That's "going some," monsieur. But to describe the suit, the skirt is made of white dotted permo and the very chic little blouse of black seilienne.

THE GATECHISING WIFE

There is one variety of question which should never under any circumstances be asked of a husband—for instance, "If your mother and I were drowning, which would you save first?" Comment is needless.

Another best avoided is, "Am I the only woman you ever loved?" If, as is most probable, you are not, the wretched man for the sake of peace will probably—well, prevaricate. And if you really are, then, for pity's sake, let him keep the knowledge of such a calamity to himself.

Even the meekest of men object to being catechized as to their doings, asked where they are going and where they have been.

If you have so treated a man that he knows your interest in his concerns springs from real love and that absence of interrogation means not indifference, but complete trust, he will probably tell you all his affairs, but an oyster is a communicative beast compared to a man who finds his wife inquisitive.

A ridiculous question to ask a busy

man on his return from his day's work is, "Have you missed me, dear?" Of course he has not. He has had lots of other things to do. Still, it is well to remember that fads are of eccentric kinds and that no two men are alike. So if the particular man whom you wish to hold forever likes being questioned then, as Kipling says, "call it check, call it insolence, call it anything you like, but ask."

But be very careful before you begin that he really does like it, for "earth holds no balsam for mistakes."

TO PREVENT CLOTHES FROM FADING.

When washing colored shirt waists too much care cannot be taken to guard against fading. It is well to know that a little alum used in rinsing water will prevent green wash fabrics from fading. A handful of salt in the rinsing water will set blue, and ox gall is good to use for gray and brown. For washing tan and brown linen, use water made by pouring boiling water over hay is an excellent preventive against fading.

Few housewives know that a tablespoonful of black pepper stirred into the first suds in which cottons are washed will prevent the colors from running. Five cents' worth of crystals of sugar of lead, which is poisonous, dissolved in a pailful of water establishes the tones of pinks, blues and leenders. The garments should stay in the sugar of lead water half an hour before going to the tubs. Of course it is necessary to hang the garments out of the sun, and it is safest to dry any delicate colors in the house.

Vinegar is useful in reviving colors, a tablespoonful of common vinegar to each quart of rinsing water. Saturate the articles in this solution, wring tightly and then dry quickly. If the color has been taken out of silks by fruit stains ammonia will restore the tone.

A NECKTIE HOLDER.

A convenient and stylish holder for stocks and string ties, so much worn with shirtwaists, is made from a strip of euede or glazed leather thirty inches wide with one pointed end.

The case may be lined with a contrasting color or left unlined, as preferred. It is bound with inch wide ribbon to match, and a length of the ribbon is fastened to the point.

On the inside of the case, two inches from each end, is a band of colored silk elastic fastened to the case at intervals of four inches. The stocks and ties are slipped under these bands and can be easily kept smooth on long trips if the case is not rolled too tightly.

IT COMES FROM PARIS.

Quite the newest dining fad in Paris is to have everything of the very simplest. Four simple but, of course, exquisitely served dishes take the place of the usual long dinner, and the decoration consists of a crystal or cut glass bowl of violets. The effect is charming.

A Smart Turban For the Spring.



IN BLACK AND WHITE COLORINGS

So practical and becoming is the turban that women will not let Mine. La Mode strike it off her list of styles, consequently we have it among the spring millinery. The natty little turban illustrated is of panama straw faced with black velvet. Around the crown is draped a black and white checked sash, which is tied in a rather large pump bow at the left side.

CHAT ON SUMMER STYLES

New Cotton Materials Rival Those of Silk In Beauty.

IN a recent fashion talk the following very pertinent paragraph appeared: "No woman can hope to be well dressed if she does not bring an analytical mind to her clothes and a retrospective one as well. No matter how simply a woman dresses, if she is well turned out you will find her upon intimate acquaintance a woman of settled convictions and wide knowledge about clothes for herself. She is not so specially able to talk about this new style or that epoch in clothes or the origin of fashion, but she is perfectly capable of telling you what her particular style is."

Now, in the spring, when purchasing one's gowns, it will be well to bear this advice in mind, for there are many features in the new modes suitable for the woman who studies herself. Avoid all kinds of clothes that are not becoming to you and your wardrobe is sure to be a successful one. It is high time to place orders with your tailor for spring walking suits, and if you want to be up in the front rank of fashion you will select as the material for one of these costumes a black silk and wool satin which is fifty-four inches wide and costs \$2.95 a yard, but five yards are sufficient for a suit, which brings the price of the satin to a small fraction less than \$15.

Many women, especially those with overplump figures, do not fancy satin as a dress fabric, declaring that the shiny surface accentuates their too, too solid flesh, but in the silk and wool satin this objection does not hold good. There is only a slight luster, and that is not objectionable.

Mannish mixtures this season are particularly good style, and in these worsteds are to be found all the new

spring shades in light and heavy weights. Then there are vigorous suitings in tan and gray colorings that are mighty attractive and charming homespun in gray boucle effect at very reasonable prices. The Scotch suitings are, of course, imported and, therefore a little more expensive than the domestic materials, but very smart suitings in this class are to be had for \$2.25 a yard.

Black and white checked effects are very much in evidence among the new goods, and they range in price from 39 cents up. That the magpie effects are just as fashionable as ever goes without saying when I tell you that there are fifty (just think of it!) different striped designs in black and white tones. There are, too, delightful spring showings in broadcloth, eolienes, armures and cashmeres. For dressy wear the season's color is Helen pink, named in honor of the favorite nuance of the president's daughter just as Alice Roosevelt set the pace for the popularity of Alice blue. The shade affected by the debutante of the White House is a rather dull shade of old rose, with high lights of a pinkish hue. In the thin summer materials the Helen pink color is charming. And the fronds of these diaphanous fabrics are going to be more alluring than over next summer. Marquissettes, both in silk and cotton weaves, are favorite

materials, the new bordered effects being wonderfully beautiful. Silk and wool velles are still favorite fabrics both for suits and gowns, and there is a fascinating new texture, brouette mistrell, that comes in all colors. Black mistrell made over a pale cerise foundation is the last cry and is not expensive, being only \$1.79 a yard and measuring forty-five inches in width.

One hardly knows where to begin a description of the new cotton materials which this season rival silks in beauty and popularity. For example, there is a half silk foulard that washes well to be bought for 33 cents a yard and silk and cotton pongees and a jacquard pongee at the same price. There are cotton velles with satin stripes at less than 50 cents a yard and an immense variety in English printed velles, together with French tissues in empire stripes. Indeed, one really wants a frock from each of these charming materials.

In robe dresses one may find exquisite ready to put on models in baby and heavy Irish lace from \$19 to \$30 and a delectable embroidered and braided robe of black chiffon cloth to mount over a satin slip. Then if you would like to purchase a half man's frock look at the bordered batiste flouncings, with plain material to match, and narrow waist embroidery. A handsome cream batiste embroidered in delft blue is marked \$10 and is cheap at the price.

It is well to know that inexpensive little gumpes are to be had ready made in cream, white and black of fine brussels net. They are lined with mousseline de sole, and cuffs of the same material as the gumpes may be bought if desired.

ALL ABOUT THE HOUSE

Most people throw away boot polish when it gets hard through the lid being left off. Don't do this, but save the polish and place it on top of the stove, where it can gradually soften.

A COOKING HINT.

Whenever you are baking cookies pin a piece of muslin over the bread board, stretching it tight. Flour the muslin well, and you can roll the dough as soft and thin as you please. A piece of muslin around the rolling pin is still another improvement.

THE MILK BOTTLE.

Milk bottles are washed most easily if filled with cold water and emptied. Later rinse with soap and water and then with scalding water.

FOR WASHING SILVER.

For washing silver put a half teaspoonful of ammonia into hot water. Wash quickly, using a small brush. Rinse in hot water and dry with a clean linen towel, then rub dry with

a chamols skin. Washed in this manner silver becomes brilliant and requires no polishing with any of the powders or whiting usually employed.

THE PROPER SIZED BROOM.

A heavy broom should be chosen for thorough sweeping in preference to a light one, for the weight adds to the process. To test a new broom press the edge against the floor. If the strawe bristles out and bend the broom is a poor one and should be rejected. They should remain in a firm, solid mass.

TO REMOVE GREASE.

To remove grease from garments dissolve a teaspoonful of salt in four tablespoonfuls of alcohol, shake well and apply with a sponge.

FOR OSTRICH FEATHERS.

Sprinkle salt over hot coals and shake your damp uncured ostrich feathers over the fumes and the tendrils will curl up smartly.

THE COLLAPSIBLE SEWING STAND



THE LATEST IN SEWING OUTFITS.

THERE are many novelties in sewing boxes and stands on the market, but perhaps the most complete and handy is the one illustrated. It consists of two sections and is made of heavy green crash tacked over a frame measuring five and a half by two and a half feet. On the inside are little brass hooks and a collapsible shelf covered with cretonne, and two large pockets at the bases are also of the cretonne. A small pocket at the top for odds and ends of sewing is convenient, and then the button bag, the needlebook and pin cushion are all made of the dainty red and green toned cretonne.

DEVELOPING A CHARACTER

The late Frances E. Willard said: "There are so many kinds of beauty after which one may strive that we are bewildered by the bare attempt to remember them. There is beauty of manner, of utterance, of achievement, of reputation, of character. Any one of these outweighs beauty of person, even in the scales of society, to say nothing of celestial values."

"Cultivate most of the kind that lasts longest. The beautiful face with nothing back of it lacks the staying qualities that are necessary to those who would be winners in the race of life. It is not the first milepost, but the

last, that tells the story; not the outward bound steed, but the one on the home stretch, that we hail as victor."

Therefore it will pay every woman who has her appearance at heart to give heed to the effect of the mind upon the body. She should cultivate those charms of mind which reflect themselves in charms of person, for that there is a connection between mind and body there is no question.

An ill natured frame of mind shows plainly in the face and is not beautiful. On the other hand, a sunny and bright disposition lends a charm to the plainest features.

Don'ts For Stout Women

The stout woman must not "slump." Her one safeguard is an erect carriage—head up, chest up, abdomen in. This wards off the fleshy back.

Nor must she permit herself to relax. Negligence, comfort and down at the heel attire are not for her. She should keep trim though she nearly passes away with heat and discomfort. She must watch her manners, particularly her table manners. She may not take liberties with her elbows, lop over the table or eat carelessly. Daintiness is essential if she would not be repulsive.

The stout woman must train herself to light walking. Nothing shows her weight like dragging her feet and clumping heavily.

She must discriminate in styles. Put her in a bicorne hat, peasant waist and chintillee colorings and she need not be surprised at criticism.

She must learn to take life quietly. Excitement, rushing and temper are conducive to apoplexy and do not improve looks.

She must be dignified. It moves the onlooker to tears to see the stout woman full of airs and graces and kitchen coyness. Her dignity should not, however, interfere with jollity. The hearty laugh is a hall mark of averdups.

Beyond all she must wear good corsets and learn how to put them on. It makes just the difference between mountains of flesh and a trim stylish figure a trifle too large, but not repellent.

THE SPOILT KINDNESS OF SOME WOMEN.

Do you know the woman who always spoils a kind action by surrounding it with a sort of charity atmosphere?

"I took poor Miss A. to a matinee the other day. She so seldom gets a treat." Or "I think I'll ask Mrs. B. to my party. She knows so few nice people that it will be quite a change for her."

This variety of "kind lady" will call on a newcomer who has been rather cold shouldered by other residents of the town, but the whole thing is spoiled by her manner of condescension.

Sometimes it is very difficult for this type of woman to cure herself of her patronizing manner, because most probably she is not aware that she is in the least patronizing, but labors under the delusion that she is simply "gracious."

It is not a good plan to allow oneself to get into this frame of mind, for aside from the fact that it is rather unkind to be always supposing that other people are inferior the woman who adopts the semi-patronizing attitude very often ends by making herself ridiculous.

LAUNDERING EMBROIDERY.

Mercedized cottons, especially the white, wash better than embroidery silks. No matter how good a silk you buy it will not stand having soap rubbed upon it. Hot water is equally injurious. So is ironing with a too hot iron.

Make a thick suds of warm water and pure soap and rinse the pieces to be washed. Squeeze through the hands and do not rub on a board.

Rinse in clear water of the same temperature as the first. Squeeze out as much as possible of the moisture with the hands and do not rub on a board. Pull into shape and roll in a thick towel to absorb the excess water. Then take a smooth piece of damp muslin and place it over the back of the embroidery and do the ironing through that.

AN ECONOMY TIP.

It is well to have your sheets and tablecloths folded withways occasionally instead of lengthways, as this prevents the folds from always coming in the same place and thus causing that place to wear out first.

THE HEIGHT OF WAIST HARMONY



CYCLAMEN VELVET AND SILVER LACE COMBINED.

ARTISTIC and beautiful is the combination of colors used in this imported evening waist. Silver lace with just a touch of cyclamen colored velvet—could a color scheme be more charming? The foundation of the model is of the coarse silver net, and the fichu draped bodice is of heavier silver lace. The short kimono sleeves are edged with silver fringe. A heavy silver cord ornament studded with rhinestones, through which the velvet is drawn, was a happy inspiration of the dress artist. A new French feature is the side slash of silver net edged with ball fringe.

THE THIMBLE BICENTENNIAL

Who of all the women busy over their sewing know that the thimble, or, as our German cousins picturesquely call it, the "finger hat," might, if so minded, have celebrated its two hundredth birthday last year? For it was just about 200 years ago that a London goldsmith named Trotting made and presented to the lady of his heart, on her birthday a thimble of gold beautifully ornamented and chased, accompanied by a note which introduced the little contraption as a "token of my humble esteem which shall protect those delicate, fair and industrious fingers from prick and scar of needle head."

Until that day sewing had been a real task, painful and laborious, and attended with occasional bloodshed. The novel birthday gift was consequently much appreciated and so admired by the recipient's friends that

the goldsmith was kept busy and was made independently rich by the demand for more thimbles. The new implements made in imitation of his were of iron, silver or gold elaborately ornamented and often jeweled. They were worn, as indeed their name implies, on the thumb.

HINTS ON CARVING.

To carve a fowl remove a slice of the breast on either side of the breast bone; next cut off the wings, then the legs, cutting through the joint at the back and separating the drumstick from the remainder of the leg, and finally divide the back in two.

All game birds are carved practically in the same way as a chicken, only remember that with a woodcock some people consider the back the best part, others the thigh.



DESSERTS MADE FROM CANNED FRUITS.

Peach delight is a delicious dessert that can be made with canned peaches. Put in a glass dish alternate layers of the halves of canned peaches with the hollow side down, together with halves of macaroons. Stale lady fingers or sponge cake cut in small pieces are nice mixed with the macaroons. When the dish is filled pour over the contents the peach syrup and set in a cold place. When ready to serve, heap whipped cream or meringue on top, sprinkled with a few chopped nuts.

Pineapple Pudding Cold.—Put in a double boiler a quart of milk to scald. Then mix together a half cupful of cornstarch and quarter cupful of granulated sugar, with a pinch of salt. Stir in the hot milk, mixing thoroughly. Return to the double boiler and cook until the mixture is the consistency of a creamy custard. Let this cook uncovered for a quarter of an hour, stirring every now and then. Remove from the fire, cool slightly, add a teaspoonful of vanilla and the whites of three eggs and half a can of grated or chopped pineapple. Turn in a mold and set away to harden. Serve with rich cream.

Apricot soufflé is made by separating the apricots from the syrup. Cut the fruit in quarters and arrange closely together in the bottom of a well-but-

tered baking dish. Pour over the fruit a sauce made in this way: Cream together three tablespoonfuls of butter and a quarter of a cupful of granulated sugar. Pour the hot milk over this, mix well, then pour over the flour and butter, stirring until all the ingredients are thoroughly mixed. When cool fold in the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff, dry foam. Bake in a slow oven for about thirty-five minutes and serve immediately.

Pear croquettes are mighty good served with chocolate sauce. For this dessert drain a can of Bartlett pears very dry. Dip them in fine dry cake or brown bread crumbs, then in beaten egg and again in crumbs and fry them quickly in deep hot fat. Serve hot with the sauce. For the sauce take a cupful of pear juice and put in a saucepan with half a cupful of sugar, a tablespoonful of cornstarch, two squares of unsweetened chocolate and a small piece of butter. Add a pinch of salt and cook about ten minutes.

Orange, lemon or pineapple juice stiffened with gelatin is soon converted into a large mold or individual molds and the fruit and chopped nuts mixed with the jelly as it begins to harden. A most attractive dessert may be made in this way, using different kinds of fruit.

BARON PATERNO VISITED NEWTON NEW YORK CITY TO HAVE NEW CHARTER

Always Brutally Treated the Princess

Contagious Hospital There Was Inspected

ROME, March 4.—All Rome still is talking of the sensational murder on Thursday of the Princess Guilla Triguza di Salaparuta, the queen's lady-in-waiting, by the Italian Baron Paterno. Not in many years has the capital been so stirred by a sordid crime.

Paterno late last night was still slowly improving. The bullet which he fired with the intention of killing the princess is still imbedded in his skull. Although he has refused to give any explanation as to why he stabbed and killed the woman who had befriended him.

The police, however, are not averse to showing what their investigations are unfolding. They say they show that Paterno treated the princess cruelly before he finally comprehended her taking off. The princess, frail and unhappy with her husband, they allege, fell easy prey to the rapacious nobleman whose scandalous adventures had brought him to the threshold of expulsion from the city.

According to the police Paterno met the princess in 1908 at Palermo. He became the friend also of the prince. The friendship between the two men became so great that Paterno had himself made head of the local mafia and brought it into the election of Prince Triguza as mayor of Palermo.

It is reported also that the prince returning home one night from a meeting of the municipal council, found his wife and Paterno together. Enraged, the prince fired upon Paterno but missed his mark and Paterno escaped.

When Queen Helena was informed of the relations existing between Paterno and the princess, she called the princess before her and induced her to confess everything. Throwing herself at the feet of the queen and crying out in her despair, the princess took oath that she would break with Paterno, begin like anew and henceforth devote her life to being an affectionate mother to her two little daughters.

From this moment, according to the authorities, Paterno, feeling his prey about to escape, became furious in his actions toward the princess and several times created scenes even within the Quirinal itself, shouting: "I shall murder you; I shall strangle you—here in the royal palace, amid the ladies of the court, next to the queen."

Paterno's demands for money, it is said, became more and more insistent and once it is alleged he even attacked the princess in the ante-chamber to the room in which were the king and queen. The princess in defending herself on this occasion had picked up and put in her pocket. Then he left her, still threatening.

The paternity of the princess, because of her loans or gifts to Paterno, is said to have been reduced to \$100 a month.

When the tragedy occurred the two daughters of the princess, who were driving out in a court carriage, when they returned to the Quirinal they asked, as was their custom, for their mother. No one had the heart to tell them the truth, so they were informed that the princess had met with an automobile accident and that her return to the palace therefore would be delayed. Two locks of hair were cut yesterday from the head of the dead woman and later will be given to her children.

A postmortem examination yesterday showed that the princess was first wounded in the back and then in the neck. Either of the wounds would have been mortal. On the left arm also were found two slight wounds.

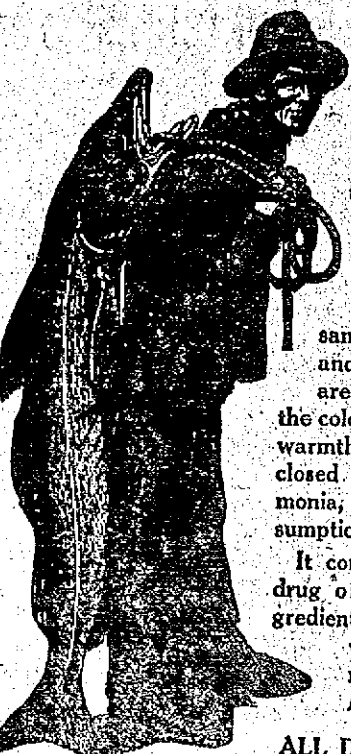
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The undersigned, wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for the acts of kindness, words of sympathy and the many floral offerings, which in a way lightened the burden of grief cast upon them at the death of their devoted wife and their beloved mother, Mrs. Bridget Nutter.

(Signed)

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PRESIDENT TAFT

Saw a New Moon in the Heavens

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Having abandoned hope of seeing reciprocity passed by the present congress, President Taft late yesterday after returning from his usual long afternoon walk, declared that he had noticed the setting sun, but that he also had seen a new moon in the heavens. The president has not yet decided when he will issue his proclamation calling the new congress together, nor has the date been fixed.

Despite the fact that the measure which above all others he desired to see pass at this session, did not become law, the president was rejoicing last night over the large number of bills he favored which have been passed.

The judiciary codification bills he considers one of the most important additions to the legal procedure of the country, passed in the last half century. The provision for the fortification of the Panama canal was particularly pleasing to him.

Much has been accomplished by the present session, he feels, which will be of lasting benefit to the country. He had no unkind words for the dying congress because it could not see its way clear to passing the reciprocity measure. He is waiting for the "new moon" of the coming congress to fulfill his desires in that direction.

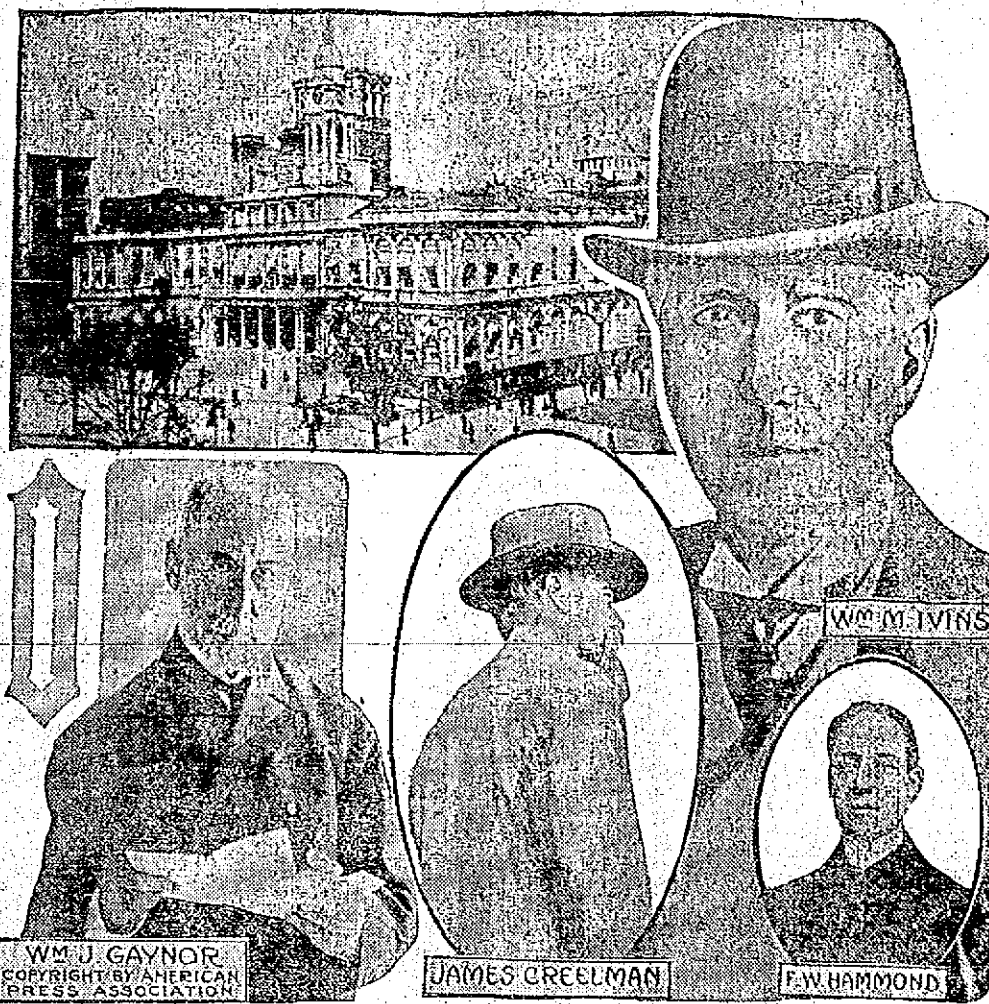
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WM. J. GAYNOR. JAMES CREELMAN. F. W. HAMMOND.

NEW YORK, Mar. 4.—A determined movement by some of the leading citizens and members of the state legislature to provide a new charter for New York city will, if the intentions of these men are fulfilled, reconstruct and radically reform the city government.

The need for reform, the participants in this movement assert, is evidenced by the fact that the entire real indebtedness of the city is about \$1,000,000; also that graft in some of the municipal departments is huge. One of the objects of the charter remakers is to amend the building laws more radically regarding tenements and to provide a means for wiping out as many of the disease-breeding rookeries of the east side as possible. The state charter commission appointed by the legislature in 1909, with Assemblyman Frederick W. Hammond of Syracuse as chairman, has framed a franchise for the city which does not meet the approval of heads of the city government.

Mayor William J. Gaynor, who states that he would like to draw the city charter himself, has taken up the subject with members of the board of estimate and apportionment and with William M. Ivins, former candidate for

major, who was chairman of the previous charter committee. The Ivins charter, drawn by that committee and which was discarded by the legislative committee, abolished the board of aldermen and reduced the number of members of the board of education. Assemblyman James A. Foley, chairman of the cities committee of the assembly, is now working on chapters to be proposed for the new charter, and his experience as legislator will be of material aid to those who desire to put the government of the city on a purely business basis. The need of reform in the board of education is shown by the resignation of James Creelman, the famous writer and war correspondent, who says, "I invite attention to the loose way in which the board of education votes on matters involving millions and to the fact that, although it spends \$300,000,000 of the people's money in a year, its affairs, books and matters of accountability never have been thoroughly investigated because the board has separate corporate powers and assumes to be independent of the regular budget making and fiscal authorities of the city." Mayor Gaynor, following Mr. Creelman's criticism, has drawn a provision making the board of

education directly under the control of the mayor, and he has asked Mr. Creelman to work with him on the charter. The entire city government will be centralized, according to the Gaynor plan, taking much authority away from various officials, such as borough presidents, etc., and placing it with the mayor. The Gaynor idea is that the mayor should in effect be "king of the city." Another object of the charter framers is to take the police department of over 7000 men out of politics, if possible. The tenement-house reform provisions will be based on the report of the New York city commission on congestion of population, which has just been made public. The causes of overcrowded tenements are stated by the commission to be the following: Lack of a definite city plan; the present system of taxation under which until recently the owner of the land improved with buildings has been penalized, while the man who holds lands out of use so that he may secure the speculative increases of land value has been helped by the tax-exemption to distribute and control immigrants for housing purposes; methods of public and private charities.

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The children are very quiet and orderly and it is interesting to note that as the books, which are returned to the table, are taken to the end of the table, the little helper will quickly come forward and lay them in place. They also pick up from the floor any scattered paper or place in position anything out of its place.

Miss Gertha G. Kyle has charge of this department and is much thought of by the children who attend, as she is always ready to assist them. She is assisted at times by other members of the staff when she requires help. There is no doubt that the children's department is a great help to children. The interested faces of the children as they choose from the well-filled bookcases, ranged around the room speak the enjoyment this department affords.

The opportunity is afforded the child of selecting the book desired from the shelves themselves, and the child it is found largely selects books advised by the teacher. This department owing to the large scope in reading matter, which it otherwise would not be able to secure, is of great advantage.

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From picture books the children progress to simple readers and primers, with color illustrations and all sorts of devices to make them interesting. Later on they call for stories from the Arabian Nights, Fairy Tales, classics, all arranged in a simplified manner to suit their respective ages. With the girls Betsy Potter is a favorite author, Louisa M. Alcott still remains popular and Miss Annie Fellows Johnston is much called for. The boys call for school and college stories, histories and books by Charles Charlton Coffin; also books from the following series: "Fifty Famous Stories," stories of Great Americans for Little Americans, by Edward Eggleston and Florence C. Souder's Folk stories. The Little Cousin series is also very popular.

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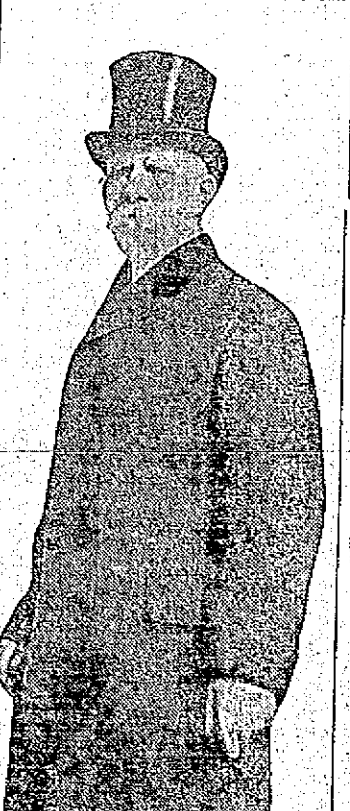
The New Minister to Portugal

INDICTMENTS

May Break Up Republican Machine

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Henry S. Boutell of Illinois, nominated by President Taft to be minister to Portugal, vice Henry T. Gage, resigned, has long been a member of congress. He was defeated for re-nomination last year. The appointment of a minister to Portugal at this time does not mean

CINCINNATI, March 4.—The investigation of the grand jury into the alleged misdoings of some of the political celebrities of Hamilton county threatens to break up the republican organization headed by George B. Cox and which has had a dominating influence in the government of Cincinnati



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GEORGE B. COX. AUGUST HERRMANN.

that the United States will immediately recognize Portugal as a republic, according to the state department. It is held by the department that there is only a de facto government in Portugal and that the appointing of a new minister does not automatically recognize the country as a power. It was pointed out that Mr. Boutell probably would not go to Portugal until after May and that during that month the constituency of Portugal will decide for themselves whether the present regime and form of government are to be continued. None of the European countries has recognized Portugal as a republic, according to the state department.

THE DEMOCRATS

TO CAUCUS IF EXTRA SESSION IS CALLED

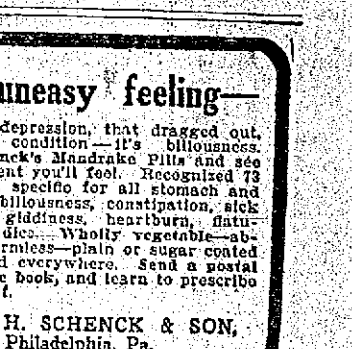
WASHINGTON, March 4.—At an informal conference of democratic representatives yesterday, Representative Clayton of Alabama, chairman of the caucus, was authorized to call a caucus of democratic representatives call for an extra session, if the president should issue such a call. The caucus will perfect the house organization, including the election of Representative Clark of Missouri as speaker. The committee selections will not be made at that time.

The caucus will be held the day preceding the convening of an extra session, if such be called for March 15 or thereafter. If congress should be called to convene for a month yet, the caucus would be held at 10 a. m. two days before the extra session, or three days before if necessary, to avoid meeting on Sunday.



JOHN A. DIX.

for years. George B. Cox, so long the all powerful republican boss of Cincinnati, is making titanic efforts to rid himself of the perjury indictments against him. His friends swear that Cox, president of the Cincinnati Trust company, backer of the Shuberts in large theatrical enterprises, will spend his last cent to free himself of the accusation that he shared the graft his fellow bankers paid to the county's treasurers to name their banks as repositories of the county's money and worse, that he committed perjury when he swore such tainted money never passed into his hands. It is certain now that the investigation will go far beyond the searchings of the Drake committee of 1905, will even examine the open charges that from the saloons and houses of red light district golden rivulets of graft money have flowed. Following up its indictment of Cox, the grand jury had before it August Herrmann, chairman of the National baseball commission and grand exalted ruler of the Elks, and Rudolph K. Hy-nicka, a former county treasurer and head of an extensive theatrical syndicate. Both have been closely associated politically with Cox. Bayard Kington, vice-president of the local Bell Telephone company, has been quizzed. The fact that an officer of the Western Union Telegraph company and John A. Payne, formerly head of a concern that distributed racing and market information, were summoned at the same time as Kington indicated that the grand jury was turning its attention to alleged gambling.



JOHN A. DIX.

GOVERNOR DIX GIRL SHOT MAN

Issues Statement on She Claimed That He Betrayed Her

NEW YORK, March 4.—Less than an hour after she had shot and probably fatally wounded her alleged betrayer, Maria Adagniolto, 22 years old, was found by the police calmly eating a hearty supper at her home last night. She made no attempt, the police say, to deny that she shot Giuseppe Orsini, who, she alleged, had betrayed her and married another. "Yes, I shot him," she asserted over and over again, according to the police. "I am glad of it, too, and I hope he dies."

The man was shot four times on a street corner in the east side, where the girl had made an appointment to meet him.

When brought to Orsini's cot in a hospital, the girl was surprised to find that the man denied that she shot him.

"No," Orsini replied, "she didn't shoot me."

"I didn't," broke in the girl, "who did?"

"Don't get yourself in wrong," Orsini cautioned her, and fell back in semi-consciousness from the pain of his wounds. He has no chance of recovery.

NEW YORK, March 4.—A statement from Governor John A. Dix, addressed to the democratic members of the legislature, rehearsing what has happened in the senatorial fight, and advising them to vote "as your consciences and the will of your constituents may dictate" was given out here last night.

The statement was as follows: "To the democratic members of the legislature: "Soon after the last election I publicly announced that I would interfere with the legislature in the choice of a senator. But the present unprecedented and divided condition of the party's councils, in regard to the choice of a senator, is preventing the exercise of the constitutional duty which rests upon the legislature. "Under these exceptional and peculiar circumstances I may properly advise you what in my opinion the present critical situation demands the elimination of extra-constitutional obstacles to the important duty resting on the legislature. "When Mr. Sheehan became the choice of the caucus I felt that he was entitled, within reasonable limits

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"KNOCKOUT" BROWN BOARD OF HEALTH

Won the Decision Over Ad Orders Tenement Vacated in
Wolgast, World's Champion Worthen Street

NEW YORK, March 4.—Valentine (Knock-Out) Brown, the tow-headed little New York lightweight, gained a popular decision over "Ad" Wolgast, the world's lightweight champion in a slashing 10-round bout last night at the National Sporting club of America. Three weeks ago Brown fought Wolgast at Philadelphia, and the crowd of 2000 which saw him fight last night voted him a victory. The law does not allow a formal decision.

Brown forced the fighting from the start and on the whole gave more punishment than he received.

In the clinches Wolgast showed superior ringmanship with his fighting. His tactics were so rough, however, that they brought hisses from the spectators.

Neither man was in distress at any time during the bout and no blood was drawn. In the fast round Brown was backing toward the ropes as Wolgast rushed him. They clinched and rolled through the ropes together and Brown would have fallen from the ring had not a cluster of hands shoved him back.

The usual crowd of sporting celebrities witnessed the bout, every available inch of the clubhouse was packed.

First round—Both boys opened up fast, with Brown the more eager of the two. They clinched often and Wolgast pounded Brown's kidneys viciously. Brown had to force the fighting and sent several hard ones to the face.

Round two—Brown jarred Wolgast with a right to the jaw. They clinched and Wolgast got to a nasty right uppercut. Brown rocked him after the break and followed up a strong right to the jaw with a rain of blows to the head. The crowd cheered madly. Although Wolgast rallied toward the end it was Brown's round.

Round three—They sparred carefully and clinched often. Wolgast working his uppercuts hard as they held on. Brown missed a hard swing to the jaw and landed two light ones to the face. They were in a clinch at the bell.

Round four—Brown rushed the fighting with a clean right to the jaw. He followed this with a left to the face, but missed a right swing that would have done damage. He was forcing the fighting with Wolgast covering. In the break-aways, however, the champion almost invariably worked in a jarring uppercut. Brown put a hard one over Wolgast's right eye and they went to a clinch as the gong sounded.

Round five—Brown put a hard left to the jaw in a clinch. Wolgast shook Brown with three quick jabs to the face and was hissed by the crowd when he repeatedly banged with his elbow. Brown rushed into a clinch and Wolgast again used the kidney blow effectively. The crowd cheered when Brown landed a right and left to the face in quick succession. He missed another wild swing and they

clinched again. Wolgast was roughing it amid hisses at the bell.

Round six—Brown put a nasty one to the waist. They clinched and Wolgast pounded the kidneys. They clinched again and roughed it from corner to corner. Wolgast missed to the head, but got in a nasty upper cut. He stumbled and fell to his knees as Brown rushed him into the ropes.

Brown put a hard one over the head at the break and they clinched again, with Wolgast roughing it at the break. Brown put a hard one to the champion's mouth and they went to a clinch. Both boys were strong at the bell, with more than half the bout over.

Round seven—Wolgast sparred cautiously. Brown rushed and landed two nasty ones on the face. Wolgast retaliated with a stinger on Brown's left ear. They went to a clinch and Wolgast put a half dozen to the kidneys, then ripped three hard ones to the face. Again the crowd hissed him for his rough tactics. Brown put a hard one to the champion's jaw, but took body punishment in the break. They clinched and Brown pushed Wolgast to the ropes as the round ended.

Round eight—Brown's shout, a hard left to the champion's mouth. They clinched and the champion landed a clean one on Brown's head as they broke. Wolgast missed a vicious swing for the jaw and Brown rushed into the ropes. They sparred cautiously in ring center with an equal exchange of body blows until they clinched, when Wolgast uprooted both right and left to Brown's face. Both were rather wild and Wolgast missed twice to the head.

Round nine—Brown rushed Wolgast to his corner, then slipped and fell to his knees. Wolgast took the aggressive and landed a hard one over the heart. He continued his damaging in-fighting in the clinches, pounding Brown's kidneys until the blows resounded through the arena. Brown put a hard left to the champion's head. Wolgast came back with a right over the heart and jarred Brown's head with a left. They were about to clinch at the bell.

Round ten—Brown started the tenth with a rush but both boys were careful and quickly came to a clinch. Wolgast ripped a nasty one up Brown's stomach but Brown shoved back Wolgast's head with a left and rushed him to the ropes. Wolgast missed two swings to the head, both right and left. As they clinched he was hissed again for roughing. They scowled about the ring until Brown ripped a left to the face. Wolgast came back with a hard left below the heart and pushed Brown to the ropes. Brown stumbled and fell outside the ring, but was hissed back by spectators just as the final bell rang.

LOSS IS \$1000

Fire in a Factory in Billerica

The plant of the Greenwood Manufacturing Co., located just beyond Billerica Centre, was gutted by fire shortly before midnight last night. The cause of the fire is unknown and the blaze had gained considerable headway before it was discovered. The members of the Billerica fire department responded to an alarm but it was impossible to save much of the property inasmuch as the place was a seething mass of flames when they arrived.

The Greenwood company manufactures fertilizer spreaders and is a new industry in the town. The Billerica plant was really an assembling factory, the parts of the spreader being made elsewhere. There have been only about half a dozen hands at work in the building of late. George P. Greenwood and his son, Oliver Greenwood, both of Billerica, conduct the business.

The loss will amount to \$1000. The Greenwood put their spreader on exhibition at the county fairs last fall and as a result secured many orders.

The fire was discovered shortly after 11 o'clock by Mrs. Mary H. Hubbard. She alarmed the neighbors in the vicinity of her home. The department was summoned and made a quick run to the building.

Branch O'Neill-Crowley of the Irish National Foresters, will observe the birthday of Robert Emmet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Ex-Mayor Leonard of Lawrence and Brother O'Neill of Branch Park, Saratoga, are expected to be present and address the members on that occasion.

Chief Ranger Linehan and Secretary Nevins, have arranged for a full attendance of the members. The place of meeting is Leather Workers' hall on Central street. The guests will be entertained by the branch after the meeting.

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Had a Milk Dealer Up for Unclean Methods—Other Matters Acted Upon

All the members of the board of health were present at their regular meeting which was held at city hall at 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Considerable business was transacted besides approving the regular monthly bills.

Action on the Walsh stable matter which received a threatening out at the last meeting, on complaint of Martin Flaherty, came up. Mr. Osgood moved that the stalls and cellar be connected with the sewer, that no sweepings be kept in the cellar but in receptacles, and that the said receptacles be kept not less than 35 feet from the Flaherty home, and be emptied at least once every other week. The motion was adopted.

Mary Cheney Allard petitioned for a license to establish a maternity hospital at 100 Bridge street. It was voted to grant the permit.

Vasilakos Vasilakos appeared before the board to answer the charge of maintaining a milk depot in an unclean and unhealthy condition. The report of the inspectors showed that the bottles were washed in dirty water, that wooden trays were used, and that the boiler to wash bottles, which the chairman declared "to be fit for a junk heap," was lined with grease, and that Vasilakos used stoppers bearing the name of George J. Prairie.

The board advised the milk dealer that if the said boiler be found in his place of business today he would lose his license.

Mr. Osgood stated that when he visited the place, a man was carrying water from the shed in pails and emptying it into the gutter on the outside. Vasilakos denied that he got the water from the watering trough, but said that there was a leak in the pipe and the plumber was doing the repairs was the man who carried the water from the sink.

Dr. Brunelle said that the roof of the place is in a bad condition. When

it rains the water streams over the bottles.

Vasilakos promised to reform conditions at his place of business in Moody street, and he was given 24 hours to clean up the place or his license will be revoked.

Inspector Connors gave a report on the condition of the property numbered 8 and 10 in the rear of 239 Worthen street. He said the cellar is in a filthy condition. The closets on the first and second floors were in a bad condition. He had found old mattresses in the attic. He said he notified the owner on Jan. 12, and the latter had agreed to fix it up.

The board viewed the premises before the meeting and saw for themselves the condition of the place. They found the cellar filled with ice and refuse. The kitchen on the first floor was ornamented with icicles of different dimensions and refuse of all sorts. The water pipe in the sink had burst and the water flooded the room and the cellar. The closets on the first and second floors had frozen up. The upper part of the house is being occupied by eight or ten men who seem to be quite at home despite the condition of the place. They claim they pay \$3 per month for rent.

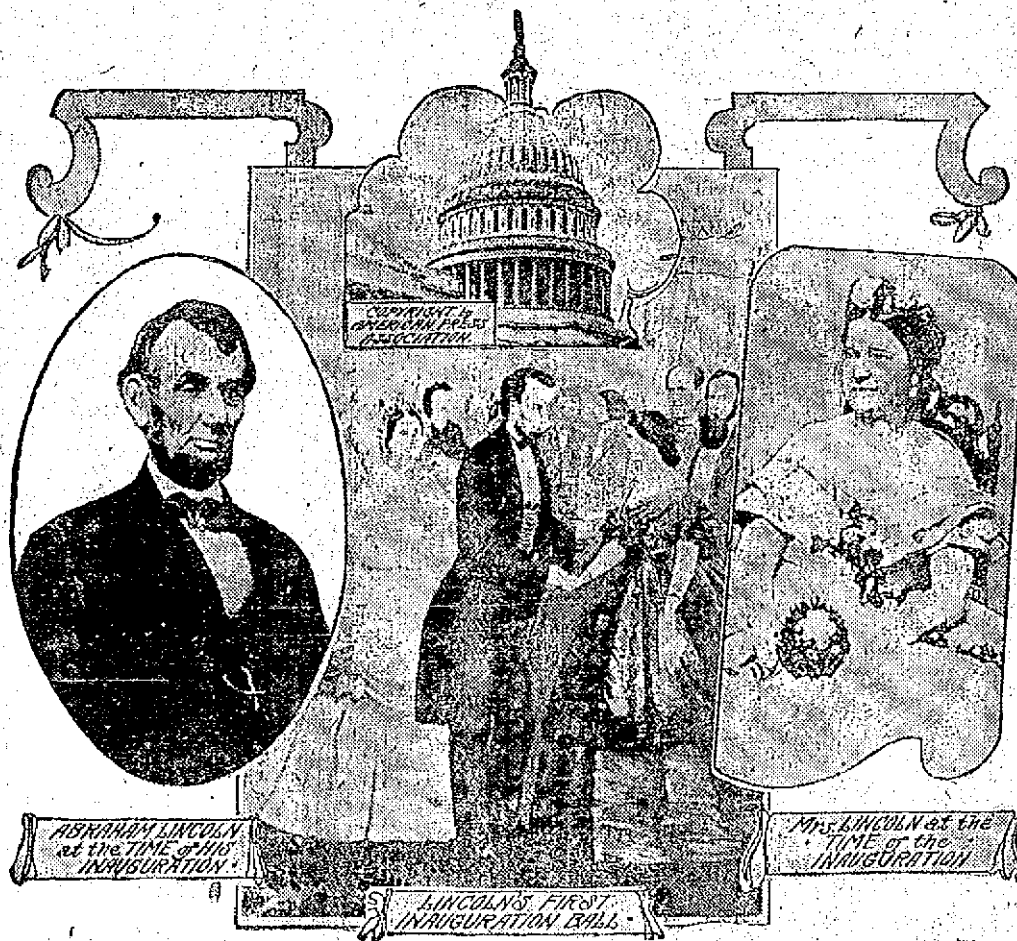
On motion of Mr. Osgood it was voted to order the premises vacated.

CARD OF THANKS.

To our many kind friends and neighbors we take this means of expressing our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and words of condolence extended to us in the loss of our beloved daughter, Margaret, and also to those who sent floral offerings. To all we are deeply grateful and promise that their kindness will never be forgotten by us.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bagshaw.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN INAUGURATED AS PRESIDENT FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY



WASHINGTON, March 4.—Today marks the close of an even half century since the momentous March 4 when Abraham Lincoln was inaugurated president of the United States. The inaugural ceremonies took place, as usual, on the east portico of the capitol. Mr. Lincoln, Chief Justice Roger B. Taney, who administered the oath of office, Stephen A. Douglas,

whom he had defeated; James Buchanan, the retiring president, and other eminent men occupied a raised platform built of plank, under which was stationed a company of soldiers. About noon, President Buchanan arrived at Willard's hotel in his carriage and called for the president-elect, who was staying there. Mr. Lincoln entered the vehicle, sitting beside the retiring

president, on the drive along Pennsylvania avenue to the capitol. All along the route soldiers were stationed. Even on the roofs of houses troops with bristling musket barrels were seen. This precaution had been taken because of long continued rumors that an attempt would be made to assassinate Mr. Lincoln.

EXTRACTS FROM LINCOLN'S INAUGURAL SPEECH

Why should there not be a patient confidence in the ultimate justice of the people? Is there any better or equal hope in the world? In our present differences I am either party without faith of being in the right? If the Almighty Ruler of nations, with his eternal truth and justice, be on your side of the north or on yours of the south, that truth and justice will surely prevail by the judgment of his great tribunal of the American people.

I hold that in contemplation of universal law and of the constitution the Union of these states is perpetual. Perpetuity is implied, if not expressed, in the fundamental law of all national governments. It is safe to assert that no government proper ever had a provision in its organic law for its own termination. Continue to execute all the express provisions of our national constitution and the Union will endure forever.

I am loath to close. We are not enemies, but friends. We must not be enemies. Though passion may have strained, it must not break our bonds of affection. The mystic chords of memory, stretching from every battlefield and patriot grave to every living heart and hearthstone all over this broad land, will yet swell the chorus of the Union when again touched, as surely they will be, by the better angels of our nature.

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GETS A DIVORCE BOARD OF CHARITIES

Court Grants Lowell Man's Petition

George Gutknecht of Lowell, a former member of the German army, was granted a divorce from his wife, Julie, whom he accused of unfaithfulness, his own brother being the co-respondent, by Judge Quinn in the East Cambridge divorce court yesterday.

Mrs. Gutknecht admitted that Adolph, her husband's brother, had been in her room, but that he had simply come in for the purpose of taking the children out to walk.

Mrs. Cecilia Ortel, a neighbor of the Gutknechts, said that Mrs. Gutknecht had come to her, saying that she was in trouble and had done wrong. Mrs. Ortel advised her, she said, to confess to her husband and ask his forgiveness, but that instead of doing so Mrs. Gutknecht had gone to the home of her mother.

Attorney Torney declared in his argument to Judge Quinn that it was nothing more than an attempt on the part of the members of Gutknecht's family to get rid of the daughter-in-law.

Judge Quinn said he believed that

BOARD OF CHARITIES

Takes Up the Question of Adopting New Rules

The members of the board of charities met at city hall last night and for three hours discussed various matters pertaining to the charity department. New rules which it is expected will be adopted by the board were read and commented upon. It was decided to have copies of the rules printed and distributed among the members and Supt. Conley in order that they could better acquaint themselves with them before voting to adopt them.

The annual report of the department was presented by Supt. Conley, bills were approved and many minor matters considered.

The meeting was called to order shortly after eight o'clock with all members present. For an hour or more bills were examined and with a few exceptions all were approved. There was one bill which charged the department's conduct of the department and while on several other bills the prices were seven and eight cents. The members of the board also held up a bill for bandanna handkerchiefs, believing that the price was a little too steep.

The bills which were held up will be brought to the attention of the purchase committee.

A communication from Dr. J. H. Sparks relative to the ambulance service for the year ending March 1, 1911, was read. According to the report the ambulance responded to 1636 calls. On motion of Commissioner Howe it was voted to request Dr. Sparks to furnish a more detailed statement in order that the board could learn how many of the calls were for sick persons and how many for accidents.

The annual appropriation for the department was discussed at some length

and it was the consensus of opinion that the department will be about \$10,000 short.

Supt. Conley submitted his annual report, which was in the form of a financial statement. Messrs. McCarty, Howe and Richard will prepare the introduction to the report.

Dr. McCarty then produced a series of new rules and regulations which were offered for the approval of the board. The rules were drawn up as a means of meeting the opinion of the city solicitor that the superintendent had the power of appointment.

A rule was made that the superintendent shall have the power of appointment, but that he shall make such appointment after consultation with the board. The rules state that the board is responsible for the superintendent's conduct of the department and that therefore his important official acts must be with the knowledge of the board. He has, however, sufficient power to act in emergencies, and to maintain discipline.

District physicians are to be required to keep in touch with the board's office and if they are to leave town they are to send word to that effect.

The rules covered the entire work of the department and before their final adoption the members will each study them for possible changes, and Supt. Conley will give his chance to agree or disagree with them.

The last matter taken up was the redistricting the city for the city physicians' work. Commissioner Howe was appointed to submit a plan of redistricting at the next meeting.

The libel had been proven and granted the divorce, giving the custody of the daughter, Regina, to Gutknecht, and the other child, Walter, to the mother. Mrs. Gutknecht was also granted all money of \$5 a week.

NURSES ALUMNAE ASS'N.
Miss Blanche Harriman, 33 South Water street, entertained the Lowell General Hospital Nurses' Alumnae association at her home Wednesday afternoon. This was the regular monthly meeting and the affair was a most enjoyable one. The regular business was transacted and it was also voted that they hold a cake sale in April. For the purpose of collecting a fund of pennies envelopes were passed to each. The idea of carrying out both of these projects is to raise a fund for the endowment of a bed in the hospital.

Miss Devereaux spoke at length on "The Problems of Life" and the valuable information given by her was greatly appreciated by the nurses. Light refreshments were served by the hostess. She was assisted by Mrs. Carr, Miss Merriam and Miss Dewhurst.

The purpose, for which the idea of assembling at the homes was formed, is meeting with good results. By this method the interest and thus the attendance is increasing. The next meeting will be with Miss Archibald, 353 Walker street. The committee in charge of the April meeting is Misses Archibald, Bell, Morrison and Tompkinson.

A POSTAL CARD
FURNISHED PROBABLE CLEW IN POISONING CASE.

ST. LOUIS, March 4.—The text of a postal card sent to Mrs. William Schneider after the death from arsenic poisoning several days ago of her 3-year-old son Ralph, was made public yesterday. The card is regarded as a probable important clew in the case and not a hoax, because it is an apparent effort to direct suspicion to an innocent person.

The card is addressed to "Mrs. Schneider, 3713 Thompson street." Mrs. Schneider lives at that number on Thompson avenue. The postmark shows that it was received at the post-office at 1 a. m. Feb. 21. The collection preceding that was at 11 p. m. the card written in lead pencil in what is known as Sponcorian handwriting, is neat and the letters formed carefully.

It is apparently feminine handwriting. It follows, with the errors in spelling and punctuation reproduced:
"I poisoned the oats. Your children are too easy. I had to move because of them. I am only sorry I did not get both boys so in the future try and make your children more respectful to their elders they were to be despised

by every one. Mrs. J. 14th and Chojeau."

"I put poison in the box and sent it to your boy."

Mrs. Schneider found the package of oats on her doorstep. She thought it was a sample package left by an agent.

THE SUNDRY BILL

Passed by the House Today

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The sundry civil bill was finally passed by the house at 7:30 o'clock this morning the house accepting the senate amendment providing \$200,000 for the tariff board for the next year. The original proposal was \$400,000 for the tariff board for the next two years.

Attacks School Principal
A severe attack on school principal, Chas. B. Allen, of Sylvan, Ga., is thus old by him.

He wrote, "I suffered insupportable torture from rheumatism, liver and stomach trouble and diseased kidneys. All remedies failed. I used Electric Bitters, but four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely." Such results are common. Thousands bless the curing stomach trouble, female complaints, kidney disorders, biliousness, and for new health and vigor. Try them. Only 50c a bottle. A. W. Dows & Co.

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Any new patient presenting this ad will receive \$1 worth of work to demonstrate that you can have teeth filled, crowned or extracted without the least pain. This places you under no obligation to have more than the dollar's worth of work.
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Dr. King's invention, the "NATURAL GUM" is acknowledged to be a wonderful improvement over the old artificial gum, giving the teeth a natural appearance, a set of teeth can be made that will absolutely defy detection. Come here in the morning and have us extract your old teeth FREE and go home at night with a new set that fits your mouth perfectly.
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ALDERMAN BURNS Sun Classified Ads. Work While You Sleep

Is in Favor of a Municipal Lighting Plant

Fountains, not of the soda water variety, were demonstrated at the city hall last night for the benefit of the committee on lands and buildings. It was the first meeting of that committee and representatives of four makes of bubble fountains were present in sort of a competitive demonstration. The fountains are wanted for the schools.

Alderman Burns spoke in favor of a municipal lighting plant for city hall, Memorial building and adjacent buildings. He said he believed there was a chance to cut the expense of electricity for municipal buildings in half.

After the fountain or bubble demonstration and their merits or toneritis discussed, Mr. Whitte of the committee suggested that the different makes be attached in some school and that the children, knowing nothing about them, be allowed to use them. Acting on this suggestion, the selection of a bubble was deferred until a practical demonstration in some school could be made.

In presenting the matter of a municipal lighting plant, Mr. Burns said:

"I want to suggest the advisability of installing in city hall a plant which will not only furnish electricity for the building and the Memorial building but a number of other buildings located in its vicinity. The purpose of my suggestion is to cut down the heavy expense entailed under the present system. From information I have received, the city of Lowell has a chance to effect a great saving in some of its electrical bills."

"The water department not long ago installed in its Centralville station a plant to furnish its own current, and

its bills were immediately cut in half, not including, of course, the cost of installation. The cost was comparatively small because the old power plant was able to provide steam for the generators. In city hall, I am informed, the present heating plant with little or no change, will be sufficient to furnish power for the generators.

"At the high school and high school annex, the annual cost at present for electric lighting and power is about \$1500, and this could undoubtedly be cut in halves. Another thing to be considered is the possible location of a public hall near the city hall. Recently a number of people favored such a location.

"All things considered, there is a chance to cut the expense of electricity in halves for the buildings I have named, and I feel that the interests of the city require that we take this chance. At this rate of saving it would be but a short time before the plant would pay for itself, and gradually its scope could be broadened."

"I would ask that you give this matter your attention as soon as convenient. An investigation by experts will show if city hall, as I understand, any company would be willing to conduct one and report all data of cost."

Mr. Burns moved that the inspector of buildings be instructed to get in touch with some expert who would figure the probable cost of installing a lighting plant in the basement of city hall and to light city hall, Memorial building, the high school, annex, Green school, etc. It was so voted.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A well attended business meeting, which was followed by an excellent entertainment, was held in Odd Fellows hall in Middlesex street last night, by the members of Passaconaway tribe of Red Men. Sachem Fred O. Marshall presided and one candidate for the warriors' degree was favorably acted upon.

The sachem reported on sick members stating that they were improving as well as could be expected. The auditors reported that the tribe was in a good financial condition. At the next meeting the warriors' degree will be exemplified on one adopted member. At the close of the meeting the members repaired to the banquet hall, where 350 members and palatof friends were present, and ample justice was done to the menu provided.

At the conclusion of supper the calumets were lighted and all enjoyed a first class entertainment of songs, recitations, athletic exhibitions and musical selections. The entertainment committee intends to give a series of suppers and entertainments monthly so as to increase the interest of the order. The entertainment committee consists of: D. G. Hurd, chairman; C. H. Kittredge, treasurer; J. H. Hickey, secretary, and G. A. Frost and George Houle.

Sons of Veterans
The members of Admiral Farragut camp met in Post 185 hall last night and transacted considerable business of importance. Two applications for

membership were received and one new member admitted. Resolutions on the death of Herbert Risk, who died Feb. 28, were passed. The camp voted to have the staff up from Boston, April 7. After the meeting there was a supper and speeches by the members and G. A. R. members.

Order of Protection
The regular meeting of Echo lodge, N. E. O. P., was held last night and considerable business was transacted.

One member was initiated and several propositions received. A past wardens report for faithful service as a trustee for the past 18 years. Sister Bennett was also awarded one for her service. Sister Bennett and Sister McLaren will attend the grand lodge meeting in Boston, March 8, as delegates from the Lowell lodge.

Robekah Lodge
The annual supper of the Centralville Robekah lodge, No. 137, degree, staff was held in the banquet hall in Odd Fellows hall, Friday evening, March 3, and was presided over by Noble Grand Lillian Perry. Thirty-two members were present. There were plans for a social and general dancing followed.

Supt. Fiske Resigns
LAWRENCE, Kas., March 4.—H. H. Fiske, superintendent of Haskell institute, an Indian school, yesterday tendered his resignation, to take effect April 1. It was accepted. Mr. Fiske will go to Boston to engage in business.

VESPER COUNTRY CLUB

Officials Admit They Want to Get License Next Year

The Vesper Country club tendered a reception at Tyngs Island last night to residents of Tyngsboro. There was a large gathering of the voters of the

being done at the club's headquarters in view of the question of license coming up at the town meeting next Monday. The club officials frankly said that they are in favor of license and hope to be granted a club license next year.

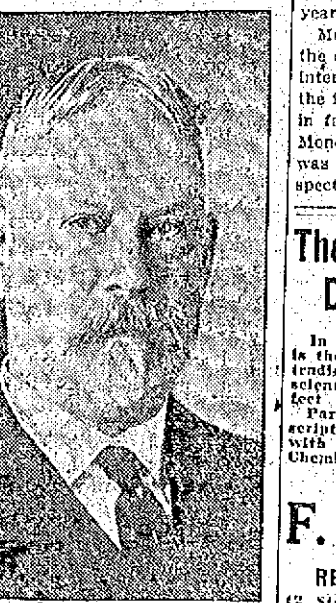
Many questions were answered by the officers of the club. There is great interest in Tyngsboro over license, and the impression prevails that a majority in favor of license will be given next Monday. Every resident of Tyngsboro was sent a personal invitation to inspect the club quarters.

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COL. A. M. CHADWICK
President of Vesper Country Club.

town. They were received by President A. M. Chadwick, Secretary Andrew G. Whipple and the executive committee.

The object of the reception was to show the people of Tyngsboro what is

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GOVERNMENT FARMS FREE—The Homeseeker, official 1911, published January, April, July and October, describes every acre in every county, and public land states; contains township and section plats, rainfall maps, 320 acre homestead law, how and where to get government land without paying for it, information regarding national forests and Indian reservation openings; subscription 25 cents the year. Address: Homeseeker Pub. Co., St. Paul, Minn. Mention this paper.

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TWO PIGS for sale. Will be sold cheap if taken at once. Call after 6 p. m. or Saturday afternoon. 12 School st. N. Y. Y.

PULPITS, barred Plymouth Rock, for sale; all laying; \$18 for the lot; choice stock. Apply 339 Lawrence st.

GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY STORE for sale, located at 415 Broadway. Doing good business. Will sell at bargain price. Call after 6 p. m.

FINE UP-TO-DATE CONFECTIONERY STORE for sale, with all the latest and best; grand corner for fruit; complete with new innovation soda fountain and new silent salesman show cases and a fresh stock of goods; drawing from theatres and dance halls and big transient trade. Owner going into the wholesale line. Price will be made right if sold at once. Don't lose any time. No brokers. Write F. C. J., Sun Office.

EGGS FOR HATCHING for sale; White Plymouth Rocks and Brown Leghorns; also show cases. Inquire at Marshall's hall, West Chelmsford, Mass.

TWO POOL TABLES, standard size, for sale; also show cases. Inquire at Marshall's hall, West Chelmsford, Mass.

GOOD COVERED WAGON for sale; locked front and back; in good running order. Will sell cheap. Inquire at 155 Smith st.

BOARDING AND LODGING HOUSE for sale. Will be sacrificed if taken now. Inquire at R. J. Flynn, 104 Central st.

CANARY BIRDS for sale; males and females. 102 Cross st.

HORSES FOR SALE, from \$80 to 1400 pounds. A. B. Humphrey, 587 Gorham st., Tel. 613-1.

GOOD MEADOW HAY in barn, for sale. E. K. Delaney, West Billerica, Mass. Tel. 28-6.

LOST AND FOUND

LARGE COON tag lost. Please return to C. M. Young, 412 Stevens st. and reward.

BOSTON BULL DOG lost; 4 years old, right side of face white; black back, white breast and brindle back. Reward if returned to 26 A st.

LADY'S GOLD RING found in Saunders' market. Owner can have by proving property and paying for this adv. at the market. See Mr. Donovan.

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